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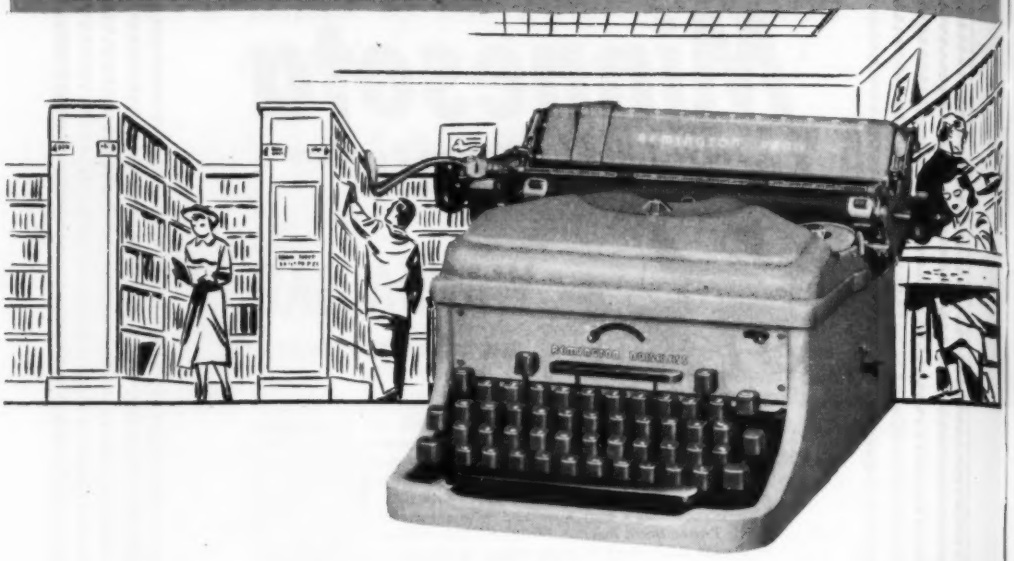

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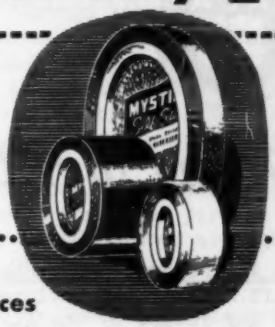

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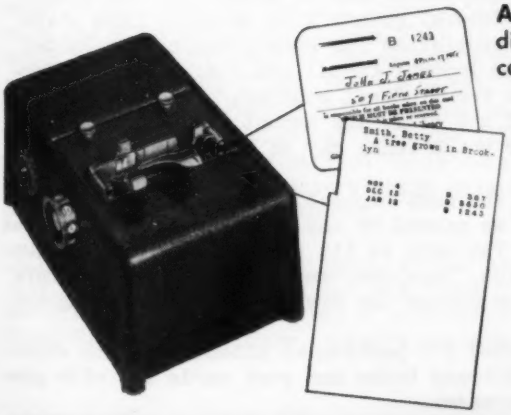

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Memo to Members:

The ALA Federal Relations Committee met in Washington, D.C. on 16-18 April to draft a federal relations program for consideration by ALA members and groups and for review by the ALA Council at the Cleveland Conference in July. Under the chairmanship of Mr. Raymond Lindquist, eleven members of the Committee worked with five members of the ALA Headquarters staff, and twenty library and government specialists, to undertake an intensive review of library interests at the federal level. In recognition of limited financial resources for federal relations, legislative problems were given top priority in the proposed program but important non-legislative responsibilities, particularly in the fields of research libraries and international relations, were also identified.

Public library development was recommended for continued top legislative priority but the Committee agreed that it would not be desirable to reintroduce the Library Demonstration Bill in the next Congress. Instead, tentative outlines were developed for a new bill designed to strengthen state library extension agencies and thereby stimulate public library service and encourage public library demonstrations. Based in part on the successful program of federal aid in vocational education, the plan will be referred to ALA groups directly concerned and to state library extension agencies and the bill will then be drafted in consultation with federal officials and members of Congress. Probable features of the bill are a preliminary survey of needs and existing programs; a definition of purpose designed to retain and enlarge the support recently mustered for the Library Demonstration Bill; provisions for state designation of the library agency authorized to administer the funds; development of a formula for basing federal grants with matching from state funds determined by ability to pay; provisions for strengthening the United States Office of Education to provide federal fiscal and clearing house services under the plan; and protection from federal control. Other matters yet to be determined are the duration of the bill, the amount of the grants, and possible limitations on purposes for which funds may be spent.

Social Security extension was given the next highest legislative priority, with Committee approval of H.R.6000 as passed by the House of Representatives and now pending before the Senate. The bill in its present form has the support of the ALA Committee on Annuities, Pensions, and Life Insurance. There is strong likelihood of final passage during the present session of Congress.

Postal rate legislation was also marked for particular attention, with emphasis on retaining special rates for library books and post cards but with general opposition to all book rate increases.

Other priority legislative concerns of the Federal Relations Committee included support of federal aid to education with the recommendation that the ALA Council limit support to public education only; the CARE/Unesco book

program from the conscientious objectors' reserve funds; the land grant college bill to eliminate reductions of veterans funds; raising customs limitations on book importations; labor extension service through libraries; school building construction grants; the Benton proposal for a Marshall plan for the mind; and technical assistance abroad. Opposition was recorded to a bill now pending on extension of the talking book program to a vaguely defined additional group, and to a document depository extension bill which was thought to be premature pending a recommended survey of the entire depository system.

Increased appropriations for the U.S. Office of Education library services, the Library of Congress, and the overseas library and exchange of persons programs of the State Department were also listed by the Committee as high priority elements of the proposed federal relations program.

The Washington Office funds campaign was reported on by Chairman Lindquist. The minimum quota of $11,000 for the two years 1949/50 and 1950/51 has been nearly reached, with $10,030 paid or pledged already. If all groups renew their first-year pledges ALA federal relations activities can probably be somewhat expanded next year.

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The Great Books Foundation has offered some 1500 sets of the first year great books readings in the Bantam edition free of charge to any public library in the approximately 750 communities with a population of from 5,000 to 10,000. Inquiries should be addressed to ALA Headquarters.

The ALA Membership Directory, 1949, recently published by ALA at $5, was issued to meet a vocal membership demand following elimination of the Handbook, including directory, as a free membership privilege (Atlantic City 1948), and the omission of a published membership directory for 1948. Publication of such a directory is quite expensive and if it is to appear in future years the sale must be greatly increased over the present rate. As of 21 April, only 886 copies had been sold, plus 300 copies distributed on a loan basis for official use. A greater demand will have to be demonstrated before publication of the directory can be continued.

Public Library Film Services are currently being explored through a questionnaire distributed by the ALA Library Film Advisor's office in cooperation with the U.S. Film Distribution Unit of the UN. ALA is being increasingly asked for more information by public libraries on film services other than owning and lending films, and the questionnaire seeks information concerning program services, rental and reference services and interest in the formation of cooperative film services and film councils. As an example of the kind of activity being carried on in this field, Oklahoma recently reported that "A-V Information Centers" have been established in Norman, Okmulgee, Sapulpa, Medford and Pawhuska.

Refusal to sign a loyalty oath, so far as records at ALA Headquarters indicate, has been the cause, for the first time, of the dismissal of an ALA member from a library position. A note about Miss Elizabeth Haas, formerly of the Enoch Pratt Free Library, appears on page 149 of this issue of the BULLETIN.

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Public Library Demonstration Planning Pointers

ERNESTINE GRAFTON

THE State and National Planning Committee of the A.L.A.'s Library Extension Division, set up in the early postwar days as the "Planning Committee" of the division, found itself in January 1949 faced with the job of carrying out the practical meaning of the term "planning," which is a proposed method of action. This changing concept of the committee from *theory* to *action* was, of course, due to the favorable progress of the Public Library Service Demonstration Bill in the 81st Congress. If the bill had passed this Congress every state library extension in the country would have been called upon to present to the United States Office of Education at least one demonstration plan. Some states might have matched funds and consequently might have carried on several demonstrations at one time.

Ernestine Grafton

There appeared to be a need for concrete plans which would be applicable to various conditions and needs. The one state with no library extension agency, the states with a multitude of small libraries, and the states with wide expanses of unserved rural areas all posed different types of need. Consequently the State and National Planning Committee was asked to prepare the *Public Library Demonstration Planning Pointers* and two additional committees were appointed to formulate standards and to suggest ways and means of training personnel.

The *Planning Pointers* were conceived as suggestions for implementing any standards set up for the demonstrations. Since the states differ so greatly and the type of demonstrations in the various states would necessarily reflect these differences, the committee attempted to design the *Planning Pointers* to specify the fundamental "common denominator for the country as a whole." Suggested points of view, in their totality, would be applicable to various situations. Although the plans were made with particular reference to the demonstrations which might be carried under the Public Library Service Demonstration Bill, it is felt by the committee and by the Library Extension Division that the outline in its final form should be equally useful in planning demonstrations at the state level. Due to the defeat of the Public Library Service Demonstration Bill in the House of Representatives shortly before this article was written, the following brief summary of the *Planning Pointers* omits suggestions pertaining only to federal demonstrations.

Primary consideration in planning demonstrations at the state level should be given to the type of demonstration most needed to improve public library service in the state and to the evaluation of the demonstrations as they progress and when they are completed. The types of demonstrations which may be conducted are numerous, but committee members believe that there are six types which in practical application are the most realistic. These are: (1) county and regional libraries, (2) federation of libraries, (3) combination of types of libraries, (4) special state districts, (5) strengthening of the state library agency, and (6) special areas of service, such as service to business and labor groups. From these types a state

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should be able to choose one or more which would be most applicable to its problem. In the full outline of the *Planning Pointers* specific suggestions are made for planning demonstrations of each type, which it is hoped will not only help in determining the type of demonstration the state needs, but also outline the steps to accomplish it.

As an example of the planning procedure, the outline in the *Planning Pointers* concerning county and regional libraries will be summarized. Assuming that the decision has been made to demonstrate library service through county or regional libraries, the first step should be a careful survey of the areas. This survey should reveal detailed information on the economic ability of the area, economic status of the people, population characteristics, size of area, educational pattern, communication facilities, social service pattern, cultural and social characteristics, leadership pattern and pattern of local government. For example, an educational level of fifth or sixth grade need not prevent an area from being chosen for a demonstration, but it would indicate that a special type of demonstration is needed. The information thus obtained should then be evaluated by reference to the standards suggested by the Standards Committee and by reference to the regional planning of the other state agencies.

The results of these exploratory studies will determine the location of the demonstration and should also aid in making the decision on the next major questions: (a) how long shall the demonstration period last, (b) what requirements shall be made of the local authorities, (c) what is the actual concrete plan? Only when all of this has been concluded can the detailed administrative program be planned. The importance of the administrative planning should not overshadow the importance of the preliminary steps. The success or failure of the demonstration may well depend upon thorough preliminary studies and good judgment brought to bear upon them. Good administration cannot make up for poor location or erroneous evaluation.

The administrative plan for the operation of the demonstration would differ little from a good administrative plan for an established library. Essential steps which should not be omitted are: (1) personal survey of the area and establishment of contacts by the librarian and a state agency representative, (2) organization of a library board which should understand and approve the objectives and proposed procedures of the demonstration, (3) establishment of routines, duties, and assignments to staff members, (4) formulation of a public relations policy and establishment of contacts for public releases, and (5) provision for constant supervision by the administrator with emphasis on extension and promotion.

Plans for evaluation of the demonstration should proceed with the plans for the demonstration. In consultation with state college rural sociologists and research agencies the plans should be studied for effective measures of evaluation and such authorities should be enlisted to evaluate the demonstration as it proceeds and when it is completed.

This brief summary of the *Planning Pointers'* section on county and regional libraries reflects the convictions of the committee that planning for public library demonstrations is a continuous responsibility of extension library service and that effective demonstrations of various types of larger units may well offer the best means of extending adequate library materials to all the people.

THIRD INTERNATIONAL LIBRARY CONGRESS POSTPONED

The Third International Congress of Libraries and Bibliography, which had been contemplated for the U.S. in October 1950, has been deferred until 1951 by a recent decision of the Executive Board of the International Federation of Library Associations. The decision became necessary because of the difficulty of making adequate arrangements for participants from soft currency countries to travel to and in the U.S. The American Committee on Arrangements will pursue its explorations concerning possibilities for holding the congress in the United States in 1951.—*Milton E. Lord*, chairman, American Committee on Arrangements, Third International Library Congress.

Sightseeing in Cleveland and Vicinity

Rose L. Vormelker

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Conducted party traveling by train or bus to Sandusky. Sightseeing trip (*Lakeside III*, capacity 300) could pick up group at Sandusky for a tour of the islands, visiting Cedar Point, Kelley's Island, Middle Bass Island, etc. Estimated price: $10.00.

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You are being asked to check this list to help the local committee to make the necessary arrangements to assure you a good time. No deposit is required but plans for transportation and guides will be based on these returns. At the time of the conference tickets will be available at the Information Desk in the Public Auditorium. Please call for them promptly.

Wednesday P.M.—July 19

____ A. Tour through part of Metropolitan Park System $1.50
____ B. Garden tour 1.25
____ C. Cultural gardens tour 1.25
____ D. Tour along the lake front, Gates Mills and Chagrin Falls 1.25
____ E. Tour along the lake front, Gordon Park, etc. 1.25
____ F. Tour of industrial Cleveland 1.25
____ G. World Publishing Company and/or Federal Reserve Bank ..... Free
____ H. Museum tour 1.25
____ I. Specific industrial plants 1.25
____ J. Historic houses and landmarks 1.50
____ K. Tour of Hudson, Ohio 3.50
____ L. Trip to Oberlin & Oberlin College Library 2.00

* *Prices quoted are tentative*

Saturday—July 22

____ 1. Malabar Farm, including lunch ..... $ 6.00
____ Need transportation
____ Will ride in private car
____ Reserve box lunch only ($1.75)
____ 2. Lake Erie islands 10.00
____ 3. Greenfield Village 15.00
____ 4. Cedar Point 3.00
____ 5. Boat trip to Canada 5.00
____ 6. Blue Hole, Milan, Put-In-Bay 10.00

Longer Post-Conference Tours

Please send details on the following tours (see article)_____

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Name .....

Address .....

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Mail this coupon or write to Rose L. Vormelker, Business Information Bureau, Public Library, Cleveland 14, Ohio.

3. Greenfield Village—entire day

This would be a train trip leaving Cleveland early in the morning and going directly to Greenfield Village. Members of the party would have at least six or seven hours to visit the village and the Ford Museum (Dearborn, Mich.). Estimated price: $15.00 or less.

4. Cedar Point—entire day

This would be a one-day trip by boat from Cleveland to Cedar Point. The boat trip requires four hours each way and allows about four hours at Cedar Point. In addition to the Midway, Cedar Point has the finest bathing beach in this section of the country. This spot could also be used for a stay of a number of days if desired. The Breakers Hotel is a typical summer hotel of a thousand rooms. Estimated cost: $3.00.

5. Boat Trip to Canada—one day

Although we have no final word, it is possible that a boat line will be established between Cleveland and Canada during the coming summer. If so, a group party could be arranged with a dinner planned in Canada. Estimated cost: $5.00.

6. Blue Hole, Milan and Put-In-Bay—one day

This would be a personally conducted bus tour. Visits would be made to the Blue Hole of Castalia, Edison's home at Milan, a stop at Cask Villa at Vermilion, lunch at the Island House in Port Clinton, and a ferry trip to Put-In-Bay. The tour could also include, for those interested, a trip to one of the wineries in the Catawba section. Estimated cost, including lunch: $10.00.

Longer Post-Conference Tours

The Committee on Recreation and Sightseeing has detailed information on five post-conference tours for librarians who would like to take a seven-day vacation. Those interested are urged to write Miss Vormelker at the Cleveland Public Library, or send the coupon specifying the tours on which information is desired. Tours are: (1) Around the rim of Lake Erie, seven days, estimated cost $60.00; (2) Canadian summer resort, seven days, estimated cost $50.00; (3) Lake cruise, five to seven days, minimum cost $39.80 to $60.30; (4) Canadian Laurentians, seven days, estimated cost $150.00; (5) Ohio and the Ohio River, seven days, $150.00.

Private Cars

It will be possible to follow most of these tours in your own car if you wish. At the time of the conference the Information Desk will have available detailed information on routes. Additional suggestions for those driving their own cars will also be at hand.

LOYALTY OATH DISMISSAL

Elizabeth Haas, an A.L.A. member, was dismissed in March from the Enoch Pratt Free Library in Baltimore because of refusal to sign the loyalty oath required of Maryland public employees.

Miss Haas served her country as a WAC in the Pacific Theater of Operations and subsequently became a Quaker. When refusing to sign Miss Haas stated, in part: "My objection is not based primarily upon the statement [the oath] itself, which contains nothing I could not affirm truthfully and without mental reservations. . . . On both political and religious grounds this law seems to me to be a positive evil and a denial of principles in which I believe most strongly."

In a statement regretting the dismissal the Board of Governors of the Enoch Pratt Free Library Staff Association stated: ". . . No one knowing her could ever doubt her forthright loyalty, or her faith in and adherence to the democratic way of life. . . . Her dismissal offers unhappy evidence that the Ober Act, designed to exclude Communists from public office, has instead eliminated an honest, able, patriotic citizen from an important community service. We are convinced this is a bad law and trust that, from this incident, the electorate, recognizing the injustices arising from it, will take appropriate action in the referendum this fall."

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Professional Exhibits at Cleveland

Groups within the A.L.A. who wish to exhibit at the Cleveland Conference should file application for space without delay. Applications should be mailed to R. E. Dooley, A.L.A. Headquarters, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago 11, Ill. It is hoped that definite assignments can be made by May 15. See the *A.L.A. Bulletin,* 41:83, March 1947, for regulations regarding exhibit space.

Public Relations Workshop

An all-day preconference workshop, sponsored by the A.L.A. Public Relations Committee, will be held on Sunday, July 16, at the Cleveland Public Library. During the day there will be three interesting "how-to" sessions designed to help the librarian of the small or medium-sized library solve exhibit, window display and poster problems. Techniques, materials and promotion devices will be stressed. The workshop fee is $2.00, and because registration is limited those wishing to participate should mail checks immediately to Harold L. Hamill, Public Library, 630 W. Fifth St., Los Angeles, Calif.

D.C.C. Anniversary Dinner

The Fiftieth Anniversary Dinner of the A.L.A. Division of Cataloging and Classification will be held on Wednesday, July 19, in the Hotel Carter, Cleveland. There will be a reception for all officers and honored guests from 5:15 to 6:00 P.M. Tickets, priced at $4.50, may be obtained in advance from Barbara Gates, Vassar College Library, Poughkeepsie, N.Y. Reservations are requested before June 1, if possible.

Catalog Exhibit Available

The exhibit sponsored by the A.L.A. Division of Cataloging and Classification and shown at regional conferences in 1949 is now available for loan. Requests for borrowing it will be honored in order of receipt. Institutions are expected to pay transportation costs. Please address all inquiries to Mary D. Herrick, associate librarian, Chenery Library, Boston University, 725 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, Mass. Miss

Herrick is chairman of the division's Committee on Public Relations.

A.A.L.S. Subscriptions

The Association of American Library Schools announces that nonmembers may now secure subscriptions to its *Newsletter* and the *Report of Meetings*. Orders should be sent to Mrs. Virginia Lacy Jones, Atlanta University, Atlanta, Ga. Price: $1.50 a year for each.

Headquarters Staff Member to Teach During Summer Session at Illinois

Helen A. Ridgway, Chief Public Library Specialist, A.L.A. Headquarters, will teach during the coming summer session at the University of Illinois Library School, Urbana. Miss Ridgway will be replaced temporarily by Maryan E. Reynolds, field librarian, State Library, Olympia, Wash. Miss Reynolds will arrive in Chicago on June 5 and will be at A.L.A. Headquarters for a period of 10 weeks.

Two One-Day Mobile Tours

The New York State Library's Extension Division has planned two one-day mobile tours for A.L.A. Conference delegates. The tours will include the Regional Library Service Center at Watertown and the Erie County Public Library at Buffalo. Buffalo is 200 miles from Cleveland and Watertown is 400 miles. Librarians wishing information should write as soon as possible to Wilfred L. Morin, Library Extension Division, New York State Library, Albany 1. Please indicate whether preconference or postconference tours are preferred.

Conference Delegates Welcome at Oberlin College Library

A chartered bus trip to Oberlin and the Oberlin College Library has been planned for Wednesday, July 19. For details see page 148 of this issue of the *Bulletin*. Those wishing to drive or use regular transportation will be welcome at any time. Information about routes and prices will be available at the Information Desk. The library of Oberlin College (485,000 vols.) is among the largest of liberal arts college libraries. Visitors may also wish to see the Allen Art Museum of the college. The

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Since the A.A.S.L. amended its constitution at the annual meeting, Midwinter 1950, and extended the term of office of the chairman and vice-chairman to two years, no names have been submitted for these offices. Further nominations may be made by mail for consideration at the Cleveland Conference, at which time the election will take place.

Members of the Nominating Committee are: Mrs. Maurine S. Hardin, Louise Meredith, Reba Boomershine, Helen Marie Cashman, and Margaret L. Turk, chairman.

A.L.A. to Distribute Film

The A.L.A. Publishing Department will distribute *Help Yourself*, a 16mm film depicting the services and needs of the Cambria Free Library, Johnstown, Pa. George Moreland, librarian of the Cambria Free Library, who was responsible for the film, made arrangements with the International Film Foundation to cut the film and make a sound-track using the voice of Julien Bryan. The price will be $180.00 for two reels in sound and color, less 10 per cent to libraries and schools.

A.L.A. Property

The A.L.A. property east of Headquarters, purchased by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, is in the final stage of sale. Payments amounting to 50 per cent of the purchase price have been received by A.L.A., with the balance to be financed by mortgage.

A.Y.P.L. Book Discussion Meetings

The Association of Young People's Librarians has planned a series of early morning book discussion meetings for the Cleveland Conference, to be held Monday through Friday, July 17-21, in the Hollendon Hotel from 8:30 to 9:30 A.M. The charge will be $1.00. Reservations should be mailed, before July 10, to Elinor Walker, Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A partial list of books to be discussed is being published early so that everyone planning to attend will have read the books and will be prepared to contribute to the discussion. Five groups of books will be discussed. Titles under two groups are being published here, and the remainder will appear in the June issue of *Top of the News*.

I. Should these books be placed on the shelves? Have you found them useful with young people? Popular? How do you use them? Which of the classics are still read in your library?

Bonnet, *Mudlark*
Conibear, *Wise One*
Forbes, *Running Tide*
George, *Vison the Mink*
Gipson, *Hound Dog Man*
Guthrie, *Way West*
Karsavina, *Tree by the Waters*
Lancaster, *No Bugles Tonight*
Overstreet, *The Mature Mind*
Partridge, *Old Oaken Bucket*
Richter, *Trees*
Salyer, *Marmee, Mother of Little Women*
Tunis, *Son of the Valley*
Turlington, *Three to Make Ready*
Whitney, *Willow Hill*
Wilder, *Ides of March*

II. How do we select our teen-age books?

1. SPORT: O'Rourke, *The Team;* Harkins, *Punt Formation;* Brier, *Backboard Magic.*
2. ANIMAL: Kjelgaard, *Nose for Trouble;* Strong, *Ranger, Sea Dog of the Royal Mounted.*
3. CAREER: De Leeuw, *Curtain Call;* Hall, *Your Young Life;* Gleit, *Paul Tiber, Forester;* Erdman, *Fair Is the Morning.*
4. GIRLS: L'Engle, *And Both Were Young;* Bell, *Watch for a Tall White Sail;* Emery, *Senior Year;* Davis, *Come Be My Love;* Lewiton, *Cup of Courage.*
5. SCIENCE FICTION: Asinov, *Pebble in the Sky;* Heinlin, *Red Planet;* Craige, *Voyage of the Luna I;* Cross, *Angry Planet.*

POSITIONS

Positions Wanted

Librarian under 35, nine years administrative experience, high school, college, county, regional, state libraries also organization experience. B240

Librarian (B.S., B.S. in L.S.), with teaching experience, experience in high school libraries, and college library experience as reference librarian and catalog librarian, desires summer position. Prefer position in Washington, D.C. or vicinity but will consider others. Available after June 17. B250

Capable, experienced woman, desires librarianship of college or university library spending about $20,000 a year besides salaries. B252

Librarian, B.A., B.S. in L.S., young, social science background, experienced in serials, cataloging and reference work. Desires position in New York city. B253

Librarian, 14 years experience in public libraries; 5 years experience college library desires position in college or public library. Available September 1. B254

Woman graduate, A.B. and B.S. in L.S., desires reference or reference-circulation position in medium size public library. 11 years experience. B256

Like cataloging, prefer reference, wild about audio-visual aids, the Southeastern U.S., and small and medium size libraries. B.S. in L.S., M.A., 2 years experience as junior college librarian, male. B258

Reference Librarian, library degree and experience, desires position in college or public library. Southern location preferred. B259

Position Wanted: Teacher-librarian with library school and M.S. in Education seeks position combining teaching and librarianship. B260

Man (A.B., B.S.L.S.) experienced in government and college libraries desires position in college or university library in East or Midwest. Administrative or acquisition work. B262

Positions Open

BOOKMOBILE LIBRARIAN. Berkshire Athenaeum, Pittsfield, Massachusetts. Full charge established program includes driving in city only. Salary $2,704, month vacation, 5-day week, retirement, sick leave. Department head rank. Friendly community and staff. Library school graduate. Apply to Librarian.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LIBRARIAN. Require BA and LS degree, prefer elementary education major. On teacher salary schedule $2600-$5000, school hours and vacations, sabbatical leave aand 30 days cumulative sick leave. Beginning salary $2800-$3300 (10 months) depending on experience. Cannot answer applications not meeting above requirements. Midwest University city. B249

Two openings for professional librarians at Gonzaga University Library in order and catalog work. 40 hour week, no night or Sunday work, 1 month vacation. One position includes supervision, salary $3000; other $2820. Apply to Rev. Clifford Carroll S.J., Gonzaga University Library, Spokane 11, Wash.

Experienced head CATALOG LIBRARIAN; shares Reference schedule. 38½ hr wk; month summer vacation plus ½ term holidays. Salary dependent on qualifications. Write: librarian, Denison University, Granville, Ohio.

POSITION OPEN: HEAD OF CIRCULATION DEPARTMENT in Fitchburg (Mass.) P.L. the end of June. Qualifications must include LS degree and some experience. Salary starts at $3020; annual increments; 5-day week; 4-week vacation; retirement pension. Other inducements given on application to Ruth Hyatt, Librarian.

Order Librarian. Liberal arts college, New England. Salary $2700. Library school graduate, experience desirable. B237

ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN. Vigorous young person, trained. Work consists of cataloging and administration. Salary depends on qualifications and experience. Generous vacation, retirement plan. Address Librarian, Western State College, Gunnison, Colorado.

Trained Reference Librarian with some cataloging experience. $3000 salary. 40-hour week. Sick leave. Retirement plan in progress. Apply Librarian, Box 151, Springfield, Missouri.

General library assistant wanted for University in Pacific Northwest. One month vacation, forty-hour week, good salary. B238

Positions Open in Missouri: Librarians for Municipal, County and Regional Libraries. All kinds of staff vacancies. $3000 and up. Apply: Missouri State Library, State Office Building, Jefferson City, Missouri.

Children's librarian in mild Pacific Northwest. Salary $3,000; 4 week vacation; sick leave. Must have library degree and be able to drive. Apply to: Bruce Carrick, Librarian, Whitman County Library, Colfax, Washington.

Cataloger. First Assistant in large eastern public library. Four weeks vacation; retirement plan. Beginning salary $3,000. B251

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DOCUMENTS AND SERIALS ASSISTANT. Library school training. No experience necessary. Salary $2900; faculty status; 39 hour week; one month's vacation. Address Libarian, Montana State University, Missoula, Montana.

Position open. Clerk, circulation department. Medium size public library. Middle west. Experience necessary but not college degree. Salary $2100.00. B257

CHILD. LIBRARIAN, L.S. degree, for public library in town of 20,000. Salary open. Box 210, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Children's Librarian, new branch, $232-$269. New main building, 7 branches to be built soon. Civil Service exam. open to June 1950 library school grads. Public Library, San Diego 1, Calif.

Librarian to take full charge of Kandiyohi County in central Minnesota with Bookmobile service to several Library stations. Central library in County seat town of 10,000. Top salary, 5 day week, one assistant, four week vacation. Apply to Mrs. K. L. Gandrud, Sunburg, Minn. Sec. Kandiyohi County Library Board.

LIBRARIAN—Take charge of branch library in the School of Pharmacy, University of Wisconsin, in Madison. Salary begins at $272 per month. Requires two years of professional library experience in addition to training in library science. Should have at least undergraduate major in pharmacy, botany, zoology, or related subject. Civil service job offering opportunity for salary increases, paid vacations, sick leave, retirement plan. Write Bureau of Personnel, State Capitol, Madison, Wisconsin.

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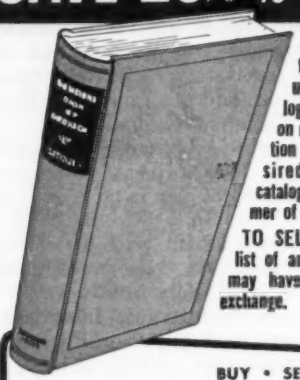

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Aldrich, Ella V. (Mrs. Calvin Schwing), Plaquemine, La. (1950)

Campbell, Kathleen R., Montana State University Library, Missoula (1952)

Dalton, Jack, Alderman Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville (1951)

Day, Nancy Jane, Library Services, Department of Education, Columbia, S.C. (1953)

Esterquest, Ralph T., Midwest Inter-Library Center, Harper Library, University of Chicago, Chicago 37, Ill. (1951)

Fulmer, Margaret, Public Library, Great Falls, Mont. (1950)

Gershevsky, Mrs. Ruth Hale, University of Washington Library, Seattle (1953)

Gourley, James E., Public Library, Tulsa, Okla. (1951)

Hamill, Harold Louis, Public Library, Los Angeles, Calif. (1950)

Hammond, Ruth, Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College Library, Stillwater (1952)

Lindquist, Raymond C., Cuyahoga County Library, Cleveland 13, Ohio (1952)

McCarthy, Stephen A., Cornell University Library, Ithaca, N.Y. (1953)

MacDonald, M. Ruth, U. S. Army Medical Library, Washington 25, D.C. (1952)

Martin, Lowell A., School of Library Service, Columbia University, New York 27, N.Y. (1952)

Matthews, Miriam, Vermont Square Branch, Public Library, 1201 W. 48th St., Los Angeles, Calif. (1951)

Mohrhardt, Charles M., Public Library, Detroit 2, Mich. (1953)

Orr, Robert W., Iowa State College Library, Ames (1950)

Peterson, Harry N., Public Library of the District of Columbia, Washington 1 (1952)

Powell, Lawrence Clark, University of California at Los Angeles Library, Los Angeles (1953)

Roos, Jean C., Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio (1951)

Sayers, Mrs. Frances Clarke, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y. (1951)

Silverthorn, Mary E., University of Toronto Library School, Toronto, Ont., Canada (1953)

Waldon, Freda F., Public Library, Hamilton, Ont., Canada (1950)

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Hoole, William Stanley, University of Alabama Libraries, University (1949)

Arizona Library Association:

Cromwell, Frederick N., University of Arizona Library, Tucson (1950)

Arkansas Library Association:

Mason, Irene Verna, State Library Commission, Little Rock (1953)

British Columbia Library Association:

McAfee, Irene, Public Library, Vancouver, B.C., Canada (1952)

California Library Association:

Henderson, John Dale, Los Angeles County Public Library, Los Angeles (1952)

Little, Mrs. Evelyn Steel, Mills College Library, Oakland (1951)

Rowe, Howard M., Free Public Library, Santa Barbara (1952)

Wilson, Eleanor N., Kern County Free Library, Bakersfield (1950)

California School Library Association:

Boyd, Jessie Edna, Public Schools Libraries, Oakland 2 (1952)

Colorado Library Association:

Wilson, Eugene H., University of Colorado Libraries, Boulder (1951)

Connecticut Library Association:

Richardson, Ransom L., Curtis Memorial Library, Meriden (1953)

Alternate: Kristoffersen, Magnus K., Public Library, Hartford

Delaware Library Association:

Field, Mrs. Carolyn Wicker, Wilmington Institute Free Library, Wilmington (1953)

District of Columbia Library Association:

Mearns, David C., Library of Congress, Washington 25 (1950)

Rackstraw, Elsie, Library of Congress, Washington 25 (1952)

Florida Library Association:

Marron, Joseph F., Free Public Library, Jacksonville (1950)

Georgia Library Association:

Crosland, Mrs. James Henley, Georgia Institute of Technology Library, Atlanta (1951)

Hawaii Library Association:

Jackson, Mrs. Mabel K., Library of Hawaii, Honolulu, T.H. (1950)

Illinois Association of School Librarians:

Crawford, Lura E., Oak Park and River Forrest High School Library, Oak Park

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Angle, Paul McClelland, Chicago Historical Society Library, Clark Street and North Avenue, Chicago (1953)

Montgomery, Ruth, Public Library, Peoria (1951)

Nickel, Mildred L., Lyons Township High School Library, La Grange (1952)

Indiana Library Association:

Holmes, Mary Annetta, Public Library, Logansport (1953)

Moriarty, John H., Purdue University Library, Lafayette (1952)

Indiana Library Trustees Association:

Borns, Mrs. Fred A., 620 Tyler St., Gary (1953)

Indiana School Librarians' Association:

Mann, Mary Louise, Arsenal Technical Schools, Indianapolis (1952)

Iowa Library Association:

Hoyt, Beryl E., Simpson College Library, Indianola (1953)

Kansas Library Association:

Muller, Mrs. Anna Neal, Public Library, Topeka (1950)

Kentucky Library Association:

Wofford, Azile May, Department of Library Science, University of Kentucky, Lexington (1953)

Alternate: Hayes, Virginia, Public Library, Lexington

Louisiana Library Association:

Morton, Mrs. Florrinell F., Louisiana State University Library School, Baton Rouge (1952)

Maine Library Association:

Ranlett, L. Felix, Public Library, Bangor (1950)

Maritime Library Association:

Vacancy to be filled.

Maryland Library Association:

Hawes, Mrs. Marion Emsley, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore 1, Md. (1951)

Massachusetts Library Association:

Luitwieler, Helen, Andover-Harvard Theological Library, Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge 38 (1949)

Spofford, Mrs. Lucinda F., Robbins Library, Arlington (1950)

Michigan Library Association:

Kohlstedt, Donald Winston, Public Library, Grand Rapids (1952)

Orr, Robert McDaniel, Public Library, Grosse Pointe (1953)

Summers, Virginia E., Public Library, Lansing (1951)

Minnesota Library Association:

Mayne, Emily Louise, Library Division, State Department of Education, St. Paul (1950)

Mississippi Library Association:

Roberts, Anna Margaret, Mississippi Southern College Library, Hattiesburg (1953)

Missouri Library Association:

Brinton, Edgar Harry, Public Library, Kansas City (1953)

Vacancy to be filled.

Montana Library Association:

Fulmer, Margaret, Public Library, Great Falls (1953)

Nebraska Library Association:

Vacancy to be filled.

Nevada Library Association:

Vacancy to be filled.

New Hampshire Library Association:

Anderson, Charlotte K., Smith Library, University of New Hampshire, Durham (1950)

New Jersey Library Association:

Manley, Marian C., Business Branch, Public

Library, 34 Commerce St., Newark 2 (1951)
McKinlay, Mrs. Janet Zimmerman, Public Library Services, Bureau of Public and School Library Service, State Library Div., Archives and History, Dept. of Education, Trenton (1952)

New Mexico Library Association:

Hefling, Helen, University of New Mexico Library, Albuquerque (1951)

New York Library Association:

Mathews, Mrs. Mildred Van Deusen, Adult Services, New York Public Library, New York 18 (1951)
Sauer, Julia L., Public Library, Rochester (1950)
Wilder, David T., Hamilton College Library, Clinton (1953)

North Carolina Library Association:

Brown, Harlan C., D. H. Hill Library, State College, Raleigh (1951)
Powell, Benjamin Edward, Duke University Library, Durham (1950)

North Carolina Negro Library Association:

Johnson, Mrs. Ann, School of Library Science, North Carolina College at Durham, Durham

North Dakota Library Association:

Byrnes, Mrs. Hazel Webster, State Library Commission, Bismarck (1949)

Ohio Library Association:

Bixler, Paul H., Antioch College Library, Yellow Springs (1951)
Brahm, Walter T., Ohio State Library, Columbus (1952)
Strouse, Dorothy, Lucas County Library, Maumee (1953)

Oklahoma Library Association:

Davis, Gertrude Bryan, Public Library, Muskogee (1952)

Ontario Library Association:

Boothe, Louise, Beaches Branch, Public Library, Toronto, Ont., Canada (1950)

Oregon Library Association:

Kemp, Frances, Reed College Library, Portland (1952)

Pennsylvania Library Association:

Borneman, Helen I., Stewart Memorial Library, Wilson College, Chambersburg (1953)
Estes, Grace W., Osterhout Free Library, Wilkes-Barre (1952)
Valencik, Mrs. May Virginia Kunz, Free Library, Allentown (1953)

Alternates: Anstaett, Herbert B., Franklin and Marshall College Library, Lancaster; Munn, Ralph, Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh; Shorey, Katharine Abigail, Martin Memorial Library, York.

Quebec Library Association:

Crooks, Grace E., Montreal Children's Library, 637 Dorchester St., W., Montreal, Que., Canada (1953)

Rhode Island Library Association:

Allen, Francis Pitcher, State College Library, Kingston (1953)

South Carolina Library Association:

Perry, Ellen, Public Library, Greenville (1952)

South Dakota Library Association:

Smith, Marjorie, Free Public Library, Rapid City (1950)

Tennessee Library Association:

Grierson, M. Ruth, Lamar Memorial Library, Maryville College, Maryville (1950)

Texas Library Association:

Rice, Mary Carter, Public Library, Austin (1951)

Utah Library Association:

Tyler, Mrs. Ruth Vine, Salt Lake County Free Public Library, Midvale (1953)

Vermont Library Association:

Randolph, Dorothy, Free Public Library Commission, Montpelier (1952)

Virginia Library Association:

Keeble, Helen Elizabeth, State Library, Richmond (1950)

Washington Library Association:

Zimmerman, Mrs. Carma Russell, State Library, Olympia (1951)

West Virginia Library Association:

Hamilton, Eleanor, Ohio County Public Library, Wheeling (1951)

Wisconsin Library Association:

Barkman, Marie Wigmore, Mead Public Library, Sheboygan (1950)
Laing, Hazel B., Stephenson Public Library, Marinette (1952)

Wyoming Library Association:

N. Orwin Rush, University of Wyoming Library, Laramie (1953)

Elected by Divisions

Divisions shall elect one Councilor for the first 50 members or less and one additional Councilor for each 250 members in excess of 50.

Association of College and Reference Libraries:

Allerding, Johanna E., University of California Engineering Library, Los Angeles (1953)

Anderson, Katherine E., Library Association of Portland, Ore. (1952)

Christ, Robert W., Duke University Library, Durham, N.C. (1953)

Clark, Donald T., Graduate School of Business Administration Library, Harvard University, Boston, Mass. (1953)

Coulter, Edith M., University of California School of Librarianship, Berkeley 4 (1950)

Danton, J. Periam, School of Librarianship, University of California, Berkeley 4 (1952)

Hyde, William H., Illinois Institute of Technology Library, Chicago (1953)

King, Florence L., Wellesley College Library, Wellesley, Mass. (1953)

Macalister, Jean F., University of California Library, Los Angeles (1953)

McAnally, Arthur Monroe, University of Illinois Libraries, Urbana (1951)

MacPherson, Harriet Dorothea, School of Library Science, Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia, Pa. (1950)

Mohrhardt, Foster E., Library Service, U. S. Veterans Adm., Washington 25, D.C. (1951)

Moriarty, John H., Purdue University Library, Lafayette, Ind. (1952)

Naeseth, Gerhard B., University of Wisconsin Library, Madison (1953)

Purdy, G. Flint, Wayne University Library, Detroit, Mich. (1950)

Sinclair, Dorothy M., Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore 1, Md. (1953)

Williams, Edwin E., Harvard College Library, Cambridge 38, Mass. (1952)

Two vacancies to be filled.

Cataloging and Classification:

Bissett, Florence A., Parliament Library, Ottawa, Ont., Canada (1951)

Hensel, Evelyn Mildred, Pennsylvania State College Library, State College (1953)

Johns, Loeta Lois, Public Library, Seattle 4, Wash. (1951)

Pettus, (Miss) Clyde E., Emory University Library School, Emory University, Ga. (1953)

Piercy, Esther J., Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore 1, Md. (1952)

Swank, Raynard Coe, Stanford University Library, Stanford, Calif. (1953)

Trotier, Arnold H., University of Illinois Library, Urbana (1952)

Two vacancies to be filled.

Hospital Libraries:

Delaney, Mrs. Sadie Peterson, U.S. Veterans Administration, Box 162, Tuskegee, Ala. (1951)

Slinger, Mary Frances, 3344 Ellicott, Washington, D.C. (1950)

Libraries for Children and Young People:

Alexander, Elenora C., High School Libraries, Houston, Tex. (1953)

Bennett, Wilma, District High School Library, Lowell, Ind. (1952)

Burr, Elizabeth, Wisconsin Free Library Commission, Madison (1953)

Burrin, Esther Virginia, School Libraries, State Education Department, Indianapolis, Ind. (1951)

Chase, Virginia, Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pa. (1950)

Edwards, Mrs. Margaret Alexander, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore 1, Md. (1951)

Galloway, Louise, State Department of Education Library, Frankfort, Ky. (1953)

Hewitt, Ruth E., Public Library, Seattle, Wash. (1953)

Iredell, Helen M., Woodrow Wilson High School Library, Long Beach, Calif. (1950)

Lewis, Helen B., Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio. (1953)

MacBean, Mrs. Dilla W., Board of Education Library, Chicago, Ill. (1953)

Schein, Beatrice W., Teen Corner Branch Free Public Library, Newark, N.J. (1950)

Snyder, Mrs. Lillian Lawyer, Adams County Free Library, Gettysburg, Pa. (1951)

Tompkins, Mrs. Josephine Lynch, Public Library, San Diego, Calif. (1952)

Four vacancies to be filled.

Library Education:

Jones, Mrs. Virginia Lacy, School of Library Service, Atlanta University, Atlanta, Ga. (1952)

Library Extension:

Clark, Helen M., Library Extension Division, State Department of Education, Baltimore 1, Md. (1951)

Schenck, Mrs. Gretchen Knief, Summerdale, Ala. (1953)

Public Libraries:

Clarke, Laurence J., Public Library, San Francisco, Calif. (1951)

Clay, Margaret Jean, Public Library, Victoria, B.C., Canada (1950)

Danton, Mrs. Emily Miller, Public Library, Birmingham, Ala. (1953)

Farrington, Mrs. Helen Seymour, Public Library, El Paso, Tex. (1950)

Franklin, Robert Dumont, Public Library, Toledo, Ohio (1950)

Gilman, Grace W., Lincoln Library, Springfield, Ill. (1951)

Hoit, Doris L., Public Library, Pasadena, Calif. (1952)

Jewett, Alice L., Public Library, Mt. Vernon, N.Y. (1951)

Jones, (Miss) Perrie, Public Library, St. Paul, Minn. (1953)

McAfee, Georgie G., Public Library, Lima, Ohio. (1951)

Rowe, Howard M., Public Library, Santa Barbara, Calif. (1953)

Trustees:

Baldwin, Emma V., P. O. Box 24, Denville, N. J. (1953)

Mitchell, Mrs. Samuel M., 1244 N. Stone St., Chicago, Ill. (1953)

Weadock, James J., Jr., 605 Cook Tower, Lima, Ohio (1952)

Selected by Affiliated Organizations

Each affiliated organization shall be entitled to one Councilor.

American Association of Law Libraries:

Ashman, Jean, Law Library, University of Chicago, Chicago 37, Ill. (1953)

American Merchant Marine Library Association:

Bollman, William P., III, American Merchant Marine Library Association, 45 Broadway, New York 6, N.Y. (1951)

American Theological Library Association:

Vacancy to be filled

Association of Research Libraries:

David, Charles W., University of Pennsylvania Libraries, Philadelphia (1953)

Canadian Library Association:

Vacancy to be filled

Cuban Library Association:

Vacancy to be filled

Music Library Association:

Hanson, George F., Olivet College Library, Olivet, Mich. (1949)

National Association of State Libraries:

Rogers, Helene H., Illinois State Library, Springfield (1949)

Special Libraries Association:

Owens, Mrs. Elizabeth W., Mercantile Commerce Bank and Trust Co., St. Louis 1, Mo. (1953)

Theatre Library Association:

Freedley, George, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y. (1949)

Also Councilors without Privilege of Vote

Executive Board Members

See *A.L.A. Bulletin*, this issue, p. 156.

Chairmen of boards and standing committees

See *A.L.A. Bulletin*, this issue, p. 162-74.

Past Presidents of the Association

Bishop, William Warner, 733 Oakland Ave., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Brown, Charles Harvey, Iowa State College Library, Ames

Compton, Charles H., Public Library, St. Louis, Mo.

Countryman, Gratia A. 2502 E. Superior, Duluth, Minn.

Craver, Harrison Warwick, 101 W. Monument St., Baltimore, Md.

Culver, Essae Martha, State Library, Baton Rouge, La.

Eastman, Linda A., 2160 Chatfield Drive, Cleveland Heights, Ohio

Ferguson, Milton James, Chivers Book Binding Co., 38-47 Nassau Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y.

Hadley, Chalmers, Box 716, Cincinnati, Ohio

Koegh, Andrew, 49 Huntington St., New Haven, Conn.

Lydenberg, Harry Miller, 118 E. Avondale, Greensboro, N.C.

Metcalf, Keyes D., Harvard University Libraries, Cambridge 38, Mass.

McDiarmid, Errett Weir, University of Minnesota Library, Minneapolis 14

Munn, Ralph, Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Putnam, Herbert, Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C.

Rice, Paul North, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y.

Roden, Carl B., Public Library, Chicago, Ill.

Rothrock, Mary U., Knox County Library, Knoxville, Tenn.

Strohm, Adam, 9607 Glencrest Lane, Kensington, Md.

Ulveling, Ralph A., Public Library, Detroit 2, Mich.

Vitz, Carl, Public Library, Cincinnati, Ohio

Warren, Althea H., 1304 Cambridge Rd., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Wellman, Hiller Crowell, City Library Association, Springfield, Mass.

Wilson, Louis Round, School of Library Science, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Wyer, James Ingersoll, 1331 E. Sixth South St., Salt Lake City, Utah

Wyer, Malcolm Glenn, Public Library, Denver, Colo.

Committees and Boards, 1949-50

Organization and Duties

(For Joint Committees, See Pages 175-78)

The following groups are committees, except as otherwise indicated.

Names of standing committees and boards are preceded by an asterisk (*).

Members of boards are appointed for five-year terms; members of standing committees for one or two-year terms, as the President shall designate; members of special committees for one-year terms. The year following the name of the member indicates year of expiration of term. The committee year ends August 31 for all committees, with the exception of the Subscription Books Committee for which the year ends September 30.

***Adult Education Board**

Created by Council, 1926.

Five members appointed for five-year terms, one member to be appointed annually. Chairman elected by the members.

To promote interest in adult education and to report on activities and investigations in the field of adult education not definitely assigned to other boards and committees; to act in an advisory capacity and as a clearing house; to undertake or assist in library projects of adult education; to cooperate with national and regional organizations whose programs include phases of adult education.

Sigrid A. Edge, Simmons College, School of Library Science, Boston 15, Mass., chairman (1951); *Mrs. Florence Stevens Craig* (1953); *William H. Jesse* (1952); *Richard B. Sealock* (1950); *Ruth Warncke* (1954).

American Junior Red Cross

(Children's Book Translations)

Created January 1947.

To assist the American Junior Red Cross in making selected American children's books available in European countries, and translations of European children's books available in this country.

Elizabeth D. Briggs, Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio, chairman; *Sarah Allen Beard; Nora Beust; Christine Bell Gilbert; Frances Henne; Eulalie Marna Steinmetz; Sallie B. Marks,* consultant; *Mildred L. Batchelder,* A.L.A. Headquarters, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago 11, Ill., secretary.

A.L.A. Accounting Budgetary Controls and Financial Reporting

Created by Executive Board, January 1948. (Discontinued.)

A.L.A. Activities

Created by Council, 1928.

(Discontinued by Council January 29, 1950.)

A.L.A. Archival and Library Materials

Created by Executive Board, October 1946. (Discontinued.)

A.L.A. Headquarters Leave of Absence Provisions

Created by Executive Board, January 1950.

A.L.A. Headquarters Salaries Schedule

Created by Executive Board, October 1947.

A.L.A. Income

Created by Executive Board, 1946.

To explore sources of income for the A.L.A. and to recommend methods of increasing same.

Luther H. Evans, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C., chairman; *Harold J. Baily; Edward J. A. Fahey; Flora B. Ludington; Harry N. Peterson; Lawrence Clark Powell; Carl Vitz; James J. Weadock, Jr.*

A.L.A. Properties

Created by Executive Board, January 1948. (Discontinued.)

A.L.A. (1949) Regional Conference Planning Committees

(Discontinued.)

A.L.A. Reorganization, Ex-Officio Committee

Authorized by Council, January 1949. (Discontinued.)

American Merchant Marine Library Association

Created by Executive Board, October 1946.

Louis J. Bailey, Queens Borough Public Library, Jamaica, N.Y., chairman; *Luis E. Bejarano; Terence J. Hoverter.*

***Annuities, Pensions, and Life Insurance**

Created by Executive Board, 1930.

To study and promote the development of annuities, pensions, and insurance for librarians.

Herbert Goldhor, University of Illinois Library

School, Urbana, Chairman (1951); *R. Paul Bartolini* (1950); *Barbara Bitting* (1951); *William Chait* (1950); *Rocco Crachi* (1950); *Grace W. Estes* (1951); *Walter Hausdorfer* (1951); *Wilma E. Reeve* (1950); *Katherine Martin Stokes* (1951); *Margaret Winsdor* (1950); *Arthur Yabroff* (1951).

Archives and Libraries

Created October 1935.

To consider matters of common interest to archivists and librarians.

——, chairman; *F. Bernice Field; Mrs. Alta M. Grim; Robert W. Hill; W. Stanley Hoole; Joseph Selwyn Ibbotson.*

***Audio Visual Board**

Created by Council, June 1940.

Established as a Board by vote of Council, June 14, 1948.

To study and to promote the use of all media and materials of an audio-visual nature as they are related to public, school, college, and other libraries, and to further the establishment of national or regional clearing houses. To cooperate with other committees and agencies having similar functions.

Raynard C. Swank, Stanford University Libraries, Stanford, Calif., chairman (1951); *S. Janice Kee* (1950); *L. Quincy Mumford* (1954); *Eliot Kurtz Myers* (1953); *Margaret Irene Rufsvold* (1952); *Mrs. Patricia O. Blair,* A.L.A. Film Office, Suite 1000, 1600 Broadway, New York 19, N.Y., Executive Secretary.

Subcommittee to Compile Bibliography for National Council on Citizen Education

Beverly Hills, Public Library, Milwaukee, Wis., chairman; *L. Quincy Mumford* (board liaison.)

Education Subcommittee

Richard B. Sealock, Public Library, Kansas City, Mo., chairman; *Margaret Rufsvold* (board liaison).

Motion Picture Review Committee

(With the Motion Picture Association of America and 9 other national educational and civic associations.)

Marilla Waite Freeman, St. Joseph's Hospital Library, New York, N.Y., chairman; *Edith H. Crowell; Avis Gregory; Gerald D. McDonald; Earle G. Walbridge; Mary Haugh Zipprich.*

Subcommittee on Program for Cleveland Workshop

Mrs. Patricia O. Blair, A.L.A. Film Office, Suite 1000, 1600 Broadway, New York 19, N.Y., chairman; *Virginia Beard; S. Janice Kee; Kurtz Myers.*

Publications Subcommittee

Norman B. Moore, Public Library, Rochester, N.Y., chairman; *Karline Brown; Bertha Landers; Kurtz Myers.*

Subcommittee on Sponsored Films

Karline Brown, Public Library, Cincinnati, Ohio, chairman; *Mrs. Patricia O. Blair* (board liaison).

Subcommittee on Television

Robert W. Orr.

Awards

Created by Council, December 1946.

To consider the whole question of awards for library service and to report their recommendation to the Council.

(Same membership as "Letter" Awards Committee.)

Esther Johnston, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y., chairman; *Nancy Jane Day; Robert Dumont Franklin; Marie D. Loizeaux; Mrs. Alice Brooks McGuire; Della McGregor; Nell Avery Unger.*

***Bibliography**

To review bibliographical proposals which come officially to the American Library Association or are considered by any of its committees, boards, or divisions, and to make appropriate recommendations thereon; to serve as a clearing house for bibliographical information; to undertake bibliographical projects where desirable; to cooperate with other agencies in bibliographical undertakings, on behalf of the American Library Association; and to keep the Association continuously informed regarding bibliographical projects.

Membership limited to seven members.

Leslie W. Dunlap, University of British Columbia Library, Vancouver, B.C., Canada, chairman (1950); *Janet Margaret Agnew* (1950); *Charles M. Adams* (1951); *Arna Bontemps* (1950); *Grace A. England* (1951); *W. Stanley Hoole* (1951); *Philip James McNiff* (1951); *Mrs. Katheryn Sullivan Hoffman* (1950).

***Blind, Work with**

To report on conditions and accomplishments of libraries for the blind and other matters of interest in connection therewith, and to encourage the establishment of such libraries and the publication of books in braille and the preparation of talking books.

George A. Schwegmann, Jr., Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C., chairman (1950); *Elda A. Colombo* (1951); *Jane Addams Darrah* (1950); *Mrs. Annie Watters McPheeters* (1950); *Agatha L. Shea* (1950); *Eudocia Stratton* (1951).

Boards

(See: Adult Education; Audio-Visual; Education for Librarianship; International Relations; Library Extension; Personnel Administration; Resources of American Libraries.)

***Boards and Committees**

By-Laws, Article IX, Section 1: "There shall be a Committee on Boards and Committees, which shall recommend to the Council the establishment or discontinuance of boards and committees as the needs of the Association may require. The Committee on Boards and Committees shall define the duties of boards and committees subject to approval of Council."

Milton E. Lord, Public Library, Boston, Mass., chairman (1950); *Mrs. Mary M. Cook* (1951); *Claxton E. Helms* (1951); *Herman Henkle* (1951); *Lucile M. Morsch* (1950).

***Book Acquisitions**

To keep in touch with and report to the membership at large upon prices and discounts to libraries of American and foreign publications; to represent the Association in negotiations with the book trade, and before legislative bodies in controversies relating to price maintenance, terms, copyrights, and kindred questions; and to negotiate with publishers for the reprinting of out-of-print books needed by libraries.

Phillips Temple, Riggs Memorial Library, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., chairman (1951); *Scott Adams* (1951); *Theodore M. Avery, Jr.* (1950); *Lois Catherine Bailey* (1950); *George Berdine Brown* (1951); *Vivian L. Drake* (1950); *Jane Gould* (1951); *John Ames Humphry* (1951); *Louise Savage* (1950); *Robert G. Vosper* (1950).

***Bookbinding**

To act in an advisory capacity to librarians on any matters pertaining to binding, care, and repair of library collections; to facilitate discussion and solution of problems of common interest to binders and libraries; to study the specifications for library binding adopted by the A.L.A. Council; to encourage their widespread use by librarians and binders; to suggest revisions thereof to the Council; and to receive recommendations on binding from any source whatsoever.

(See also Library Binding Institute and A.L.A.)

Humphrey G. Bousfield, Brooklyn College Library, Brooklyn, N.Y., chairman (1951); *Helen Hefling* (1951); *James J. Hill* (1950); *Ray O. Hummel, Jr.* (1951); *James Humphry, III* (1951); *William Porter Kellam* (1951); *Stuart C. Sherman* (1950); *Morteza D. Sprague* (1950); *John B. Stratton* (1950).

Budget

Provided for in Constitution, Article VII, Section 3:

"There shall be a Budget Committee of the President, the President-Elect, the Treasurer, and a member of the Finance Committee designated by the Executive Board, to report an estimate of receipts to the Finance Committee and an estimate of receipts and expenditures to the Executive Board. The Budget Committee shall report to the Council annually on the general aspects of the Association's finances."

Milton E. Lord, Public Library, Boston, Mass., chairman; *Walter T. Brahm; Clarence R. Graham; R. Russell Munn.*

Cataloging, Cost of

Created by Executive Board, January 1950.

Citation of Trustees, Jury on

Created by Council, May 1940, on the recommendation of the Trustees Section as follows:

Whereas, Awards are being made by the American Library Association to librarians for distinguished service, and

Whereas, Without financial reward, some 30,000 library trustees throughout the land give of their time and thought voluntarily to the cause of library service, and many trustees look upon their library work as their opportunity for genuine public service; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Council of the American Library Association adopt a plan to give national recognition to meritorious achievements through citation of outstanding library trustees, under the following conditions:

1. That the plan be adopted for a trial period not to exceed three years, when it is recommended that it again be considered
2. That two library trustees be cited for distinguished service each year
3. That the citations be made annually at a general session of the American Library Association
4. That equal consideration be given to trustees of small and large libraries
5. That the jury may take into consideration state or national library activities as well as service to the local library

6. That citations be limited to trustees in actual service during at least part of the calendar year preceding the conference at which the award is made

7. That recommendations for citations may be submitted by any library board, individual library trustee, state library extension agency, state library association, or state trustee organization, or by the Trustees Division of the American Library Association, and that recommendations must be accompanied by a full record of the candidates' achievements

8. That recommendations must be received by December 1 to be considered for citations at the next annual meeting

9. That the Executive Board of the A.L.A. appoint a special jury on citation of trustees to include three trustees nominated by the Trustees Division, one state library extension worker, and one librarian of a city or county public library

10. That the jury be authorized to make no citations in any given year when, in its opinion, no sufficiently outstanding achievement is brought to its attention; or that it be authorized to make only one citation.

Through the freezing of boards and committees due to war conditions, the trial period was extended to the fourth year. Upon recommendation of the Jury on Citation of Trustees, the Council at its meeting, Oct. 13, 1944, unanimously voted to continue to give annual citations to two trustees according to the original conditions above.

Mrs. A. J. Quigley, 3049 E. Laurelhurst Dr., Seattle 5, Wash., chairman; *L. Marion Moshier; L. Quincy Mumford.*

Committee Appointments

Created by Executive Board, 1932.

To solicit and receive recommendations from divisions, round tables, boards, committees, and individual members of the Association for appointments to boards and committees and to transmit these recommendations with its own advice to the Executive Board.

Clarence R. Graham, Free Public Library, Louisville, Ky., chairman and as advisory members, presidents or chairmen of the following: Association of College and Reference Libraries, Cataloging and Classification Division, Hospital Libraries Division, Junior Members Round Table, Libraries for Children and Young People Division, Library Education Division, Library Extension Division, Public Libraries Division, Trustees Division.

Committee of Five

Created by Executive Board, February 1948. (Discontinued.)

***Constitution and By-Laws**

To consider amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws and to make recommendation to the Association in accordance with the provisions of Articles XI and XII of the Constitution.

William R. Roalfe, Gary Library, School of Law, Northwestern University, Chicago 11, Ill., chairman (1951); *Hobart R. Coffey* (1951); *Hazel Dean* (1950); *Werner B. Ellinger* (1950); *Alex Ladenson* (1950); *Marianna Long* (1950); *Arthur Monroe McAnally* (1951); *Stanley L. West* (1950).

Council Credentials

Created by Council, December 1941.

To consider problems of Council membership as they arise in connection with representatives in attendance at meetings of the Council; to report to Council in cases when the recommendation of the committee is disputed; to determine by lot the terms of members of the Council elected for indeterminate terms as provided by By-Laws, Article IV, Section I.

———, chairman; *Harry N. Peterson; Ralph T. Esterquest.*

***Editorial**

Provided for by By-Laws, Article VIII, Section 1. Five members of the Association, not employees thereof.

To advise the Executive Board on material for publication.

Arnold H. Trotier, University of Illinois Library, Urbana, chairman (1951); *(Miss) Lesley Muriel Heathcote* (1951); *Mary Annetta Holmes* (1950); *Alice Louise Lefevre* (1950); *Edward A. Wight* (1951); *Elizabeth Homer Morton* (corresponding member as Executive Secretary of the Canadian Library Association).

Subcommittee on American Library Pioneers

Mrs. Emily Miller Danton, Public Library, Birmingham, Ala., chairman; *Dorothy Ethlyn Cole; Isobel M. Collins; Lucile Deaderick; Gilbert H. Doane; Anna Clark Kennedy; Jesse H. Shera; Forrest Spaulding.*

Subcommittee on Basic Book Collection for Elementary Grades

For A.L.A.:
Mirian B. Snow, Western Washington College of Education Library, Bellingham, chairman
Mildred M. Winslow

For N.E.A.:
Mildred English
Mr. Merle Ward
Ada Wing

For N.C.T.E.:
C. DeWitt Boney
Mary D. Reed
Margaret White
For Assn. for Childhood Education:
Mable F. Alstetter
May Hill Arbuthnot
Dorothy E. Willy

Subcommittee on Basic Book Collection for High Schools

(Discontinued.)

Subcommittee on Guide to Reference Books 7th Ed. (Advisory Committee)

Norma B. Cass; Louise Kaplan; Wyllis E. Wright.

Subcommittee on Index to Short Stories for Children

Julia F. Carter, Public Library, Cincinnati, Ohio, chairman; *Elenora C. Alexander; Laura E. Cathon; Claire Nolte; Lillian H. Smith; Lucile D. Viehe.*

***Education for Librarianship, Board of**

Created by Council, 1924. Five members, for five-year terms, one to be appointed each year. Chairman elected by the members.

To: a. Study library service and its changing needs and promote the further development of education for librarianship

b. Investigate the extent to which existing agencies meet the needs of the profession

c. Formulate for the approval of the Council minimum standards for library schools, for summer library courses, for courses on school library work in normal schools and teachers colleges, for training and apprentice classes, for correspondence and extension courses, and for such other educational agencies as may arise

d. Classify these agencies in accordance with the standards thus adopted

e. Publish annually a list of the accredited agencies

f. Plan for the correlation of the work offered by the agencies, so that a unified system of education for librarianship may be developed

g. Establish throughout the different agencies a uniform system of credits consistent with collegiate practice

h. Assign to the technical terms used in library education meanings which will promote accurate and uniform application

i. Establish close relations with other bodies having similar purposes

j. Serve in an advisory capacity in regard to grants of funds for library education

k. Serve in any other matters which would fall logically within the functions of the board

l. Collect and disseminate information regarding grants available for librarians and encourage schools and organizations to create funds from which such grants may be made

m. Recruiting for librarianship.

Richard H. Logsdon, Columbia University Libraries, New York 27, N.Y., chairman (1951); *Aubrey Franklin Andrews* (1953); *Jack Dalton* (1950); *Mrs. Florrinell Francis Morton* (1952); *Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis Wright* (1954).

Foreign Students in U. S. Library Schools

(A special advisory joint subcommittee with the International Relations Board). See International Relations Board for membership.

Subcommittees on revision of Minimum Requirements for Library Schools appointed jointly by the Board, Association of American Library Schools, and A.L.A. Division of Library Education with representatives listed below:

Subcommittee on Curricula and Degrees

Board of Education for Librarianship: *Mrs. Florrinell Francis Morton.*

Association of American Library Schools: *Harriet E. Howe; Lowell A. Martin,* School of Library Service, Columbia University, New York 27, N.Y., chairman.

Division of Library Education: *Louis S. Shores; Harold F. Brigham.*

Subcommittee on Faculty and Non-Instructional Staff

Board of Education for Librarianship: *Jack Dalton.*

Association of American Library Schools: *Harriet Dorothea MacPherson; Lewis F. Stieg.*

Division of Library Education: *Joseph Brewer; Mary Virginia Gaver,* State Teachers College Library, Trenton, N.J., chairman.

Subcommittee on Resources including Finances

Board of Education for Librarianship: *Aubrey F. Andrews,* Public Library, Tacoma, Wash., chairman.

Association of American Library Schools: *Harold Lancour; Ralph Munn.*

Division of Library Education: *Mary Elizabeth Miller, Louis M. Nourse.*

Subcommittee on Appraisal of Results

Board of Education for Librarianship: *Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis Wright.*

Association of American Library Schools: *Ethel Marion Fair,* Library School, New Jersey College for Women, New Brunswick, chairman; *LeRoy Charles Merritt.*

Division of Library Education: *Mrs. Janet Zimmerman McKinlay; Marian C. Manley.*

Election

Provided for by By-Laws, Article III, Section 4.

Sec. 4. (a) The Executive Board shall appoint a Committee on Election which shall have charge of the conduct of the regular election and the counting and tabulation of all votes cast.

(b) At least six weeks prior to the annual conference, the Executive Secretary shall mail a copy of the ballot to each member of the Association. Ballots shall be marked and returned to the Executive Secretary in sealed envelopes bearing on the outside the name and address of the member voting, together with the words "Official Ballot."

Sec. 5. . . . In case of a tie vote the successful candidate shall be determined by lot conducted by the Committee on Election.

Marion Oliver, Public Library, Chicago, Ill., chairman; *Ralph T. Esterquest; David K. Maxfield.*

***Federal Relations**

To consider all matters involving federal legislative or governmental action affecting libraries not specifically assigned to other boards and committees, to watch federal legislation for matters which affect libraries, to further legislation in Congress, to protest any undesirable legislation proposed, to seek rulings and interpretations of laws and regulations, and to represent the A.L.A. before the federal government when necessary.

Raymond C. Lindquist, Cuyahoga County Library, Cleveland, Ohio, chairman (1950); *B. J. Caldwell* (1951); *Randolph W. Church* (1951); *Bernard L. Foy* (1950); *Mrs. Virginia Lacy Jones* (1950); *Mrs. Mary B. Kenan* (1950); *John H. Knickerbocker* (1951); *Mrs. Janet Zimmerman McKinlay* (1951); *Alexander Moffit* (1950); *Martha Manier Parks* (1951); *(Miss) Clyde E. Pettus* (1951); *Maryan Reynolds* (1951); *Howard Marshall Rowe* (1951); *Jack Byron Spear* (1950); *Estellene P. Walker* (1951); *James J. Weadock, Jr.* (1951).

***Finance**

Provided for in Constitution, Article VII, Section 2:

There shall be a Finance Committee of three Councilors, not members of the Executive Board, chosen by the Council. It shall be the duty of such committee to review and approve the estimate of the income for the fiscal year prepared by the Budget Committee. All budgets of expenditure, with the exception of the publishing budget, shall be within the limit of the income estimated by the Finance Committee; they shall be prepared under the direction of the Executive Board and shall be subject to its final approval. The Finance Committee shall have all the accounts of the Association, including those of the trustees of the endowment funds, audited by certified public accountants, and shall report to the Association at the annual conference. Appropriations shall be made only for such activities as fall within the policies established by the Association or Council.

Walter T. Brahm, Ohio State Library, Columbus, chairman (1950); *M. Ruth MacDonald* (1950); *G. Flint Purdy* (1950).

***Friends of Libraries**

Created by Council, 1929.

To encourage the organization of citizen groups for the cultivation of citizen interest, support, and understanding of library services and needs, and to consider and recommend ways and means of correlating and developing the interest of such groups in the library.

Leo R. Etzkorn, Free Public Library, Paterson 4, N.J., chairman (1951); *Humphrey G. Bousfield* (1951); *Catherine J. Butler* (1950); *Mary J. Creech* (1950); *Elizabeth Edwards* (1950); *Edward J. A. Fahey* (1951); *Dorothy L. Gray* (1951); *Howard L. Hughes* (1951); *Mrs. Janet Zimmerman McKinlay* (1950); *Mrs. J. Henry Mohr* (1950); *Frances Mary O'Halloran* (1950); *Mrs. Eleanor Touhey Smith* (1950); *Esther Stallmann* (1950); *Emelia E. Wefel* (1951); *Catherine Olivia Vaughan* (1950); *Louis Round Wilson* (1951); *Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis Wright* (1950).

Geographic Organization

Created by Council, January 1950.

No appointments made.

Great Issues

Created by Council, February 1948.

To suggest to Council for special emphasis by Council, the Association, and all libraries, the great issues facing the American people.

——, chairman; *Robert Bingham Downs; Ruth Gregory.*

***Institution Libraries**

To promote organized library service in institutions other than hospitals, especially in correctional institutions and those for dependent and neglected children, and to render all possible aid in promoting such service.

Theodore Cutler, U. S. Penitentiary Library, Leavenworth, Kan., chairman (1951); *Raymond Embree* (1951); *Christina H. Gordon* (1951); *Nancy Ellen Himes* (1950); *Herman K. Spector* (1950); *Myrtle Stubkjaer* (1950);

Mary Dolores Vocelle (1951).

***Insurance for Libraries**

Authorized by Council, 1929.

To study and report on liability, compensation, and property coverage (tangible and intangible) for libraries and their contents, including fire, boiler explosion, windstorm, fidelity, burglary, war, workmen's compensation, and auto liability.

Jeanne Griffin (1950); *George H. Hartje* (1951); *Mary Darrah Herrick* (1951); *Edward C. Perry* (1950); *Harry N. Peterson* (1950); *Howard Marshall Rowe* (1951); *Mrs. Dorothea M. Singer* (1950); *Benjamin F. Smith* (1950). Chairman not appointed.

Intellectual Freedom

Created by Council, May 1940.

To recommend such steps as may be necessary to safeguard the rights of library users in accordance with the Bill of Rights of the United States and the Library Bill of Rights as adopted by the Council.

David K. Berninghausen, Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art Library, Cooper Square, New York 3, N.Y., chairman; *Mrs. Emily Miller Danton; Ralph Eugene Ellsworth; Mrs. Marion Emsley Hawes; Marion Horton; Miriam Matthews; Frederic G. Melcher; Hiller Crowell Wellman; Doris Ellen Wilson.*

***Intercultural Action**

By vote of Council, June 14, 1948, the name of the Committee on Work with the Foreign Born was changed to Committee on Intercultural Action.

Through books and reading services, to further mutual understanding among cultural groups, of their life, literature, and aesthetic experience as reflected in creative work; emphasize the unity, as persons, of diverse races; strengthen public understanding of the aims and work of the United Nations, especially UNESCO; encourage the spread of information on race, group dynamics, and techniques for joint action, as a contribution to the right handling of potential violence in areas of racial friction.

Edna Phillips, Morrill Memorial Library, Norwood, Mass., chairman (1950); *Margaret G. Hickman* (1951); *Felix E. Hirsch* (1951); *Mrs. Dorothy R. Homer* (1950); *Kate Kolish* (1950); *Mrs. Naomi Lattimore* (1950); *Emilie C. Netter* (1950); *Mrs. Irene S. Peck* (1950); *Adelaide C. Rood* (1951); *Mrs. Beulah Chapman Vosburgh* (1951); *Eleanor M. Wade* (1950); *Dorothy Hagberg* (1951).

Subcommittee on World Books

Margaret G. Hickman, Public Library, Los Angeles, Calif., chairman; *Mrs. Dorothy R. Homer; Emilie C. Netter; Eleanor Wade.*

***International Relations Board**

Created by Council, June 1942.

To consist of five members appointed for five-year terms, one to retire each year, the chairman to be elected by the members of the board annually. The board is to have direct supervision of the Association's international activities involving library cooperation with Latin America, Europe, Africa, and the Orient and the work of the Committee on Aid to Libraries in War Areas. The board is to cooperate with the committees whose work has international implications, such as committees on Work with the Foreign Born, on Refugee Librarians, and other similar groups as well as other committees which may be appointed to deal with specific international relations problems.

Luther H. Evans, Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C., chairman (1951); *Paul Jean Burnette* (1954); *Leon Carnovsky* (1950); *Flora Belle Ludington* (1952); *Carl H. Milam* (1953).

Foreign Students in U. S. Library Schools

(A special advisory joint subcommittee with the Board of Education for Librarianship)

Harriet Dorothea MacPherson, Drexel Institute of Technology School of Library Science, Philadelphia, Pa., chairman; *Leon Carnovsky; Albert C. Gerould; Rudolph H. Gjelsness; Mrs. Evelyn Steel Little; Richard H. Logsdon.*

***Letter* Awards**

Created by Council, December 1946.

To consider candidates and select the person to be given the annual "Letter" award for human qualities of service in librarianship.

(Same membership as Committee on Awards)

Esther Johnston, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y., chairman; *Nancy Jane Day; Robert Dumont Franklin; Marie D. Loizeaux; Mrs. Alice Brooks McGuire; Della McGregor; Nell Avery Unger.*

***Library Architecture and Building Planning**

Created in 1932.

To gather, and to advise A.L.A. Headquarters in making available, information on the related problems of architecture and building planning for libraries, including special problems of ventilation and lighting.

Ernest I. Miller, Public Library, Cincinnati,

Ohio, chairman (1951); *James E. Bryan,* (1951); *Wessie Connell* (1950); *Richard E. Crouch* (1951); *Sue Hefley* (1950); *John Dale Henderson* (1950); *Dan M. King* (1950); *Dorothy N. Lynch* (1951); *John Helenbeck Moriarty* (1950); *Mrs. Muriel N. Nelson* (1951); *Gustave Orth* (1950); *Benjamin E. Powell* (1951).

Library Equipment and Appliances

Created by the Executive Board, June 27, 1931.

To make a study of library equipment and appliances, to suggest the invention and manufacture of new equipment needed by libraries.

Edwin B. Colburn, Deering Library, Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., chairman; *Cloyd Dake Gull; Carl W. Hamilton; Reginald R. Hawkins; Loeta Lois Johns.*

***Library Extension Board**

Created as a committee by Council, 1925; given its charter, 1926; made a board, 1930. Five members, appointed by the Executive Board for five-year terms, one member to be appointed each year. Chairman elected by the members.

The American Library Association believes that adequate library service to the general public is an indispensable part of a national program of education; therefore, it is the responsibility of the Library Extension Board of the A.L.A. to work for complete coverage of the United States and Canada with such service, through:

1. Development of state-wide systems of public libraries, organized in large units, with resources adequate for service throughout their areas.

2. Strengthening of state and provincial responsibility and leadership through state library agencies, grants for library development, and legislation adapted to modern conditions.

3. Federal aid to increase library opportunity in the states, to be administered by state library agencies in such way as to encourage state and local initiative and responsibility.

4. Cooperation with the many national, regional, and state educational and social agencies, whose programs include, or might well include, library service; and with library trustee organizations and citizens' library committees.

5. Promotion of coordination, on national and state levels, of purposes and activities of other library agencies and groups which have related objectives.

6. Encouragement of experiments in various types of organization and service, in different sections of the country.

Irving Lieberman, Public Library, Brooklyn 17, N.Y., chairman (1952); *Harriet E. Howe* (1951); *Raymond C. Lindquist* (1950); *Mrs. J. E. Price* (1953); *Mrs. Carma R. Zimmerman* (1954).

***Library Legislation**

To keep members and boards and committees informed about library legislation; to advise members and boards and committees in such legislative matters as are not under the jurisdiction of the executive officers or other boards or committees; and to compile, or cooperate in the compilation of, library laws.

Carroll C. Moreland, Biddle Law Library, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, chairman (1951); *Christine L. Coffey* (1950); *William J. Earley* (1951); *Walter H. Kaiser* (1951); *Alex Ladenson* (1950); *Muriel A. Naylor* (1951); *Thurston Taylor* (1951).

***Membership**

To solicit new members; to make recommendations concerning membership dues; to transmit suggestions for improving A.L.A. service to the members.

Tommie Dora Barker, Dept. of Librarianship, Emory University, Georgia, chairman (1951).

Regional Chairmen

1. *Mrs. Alta M. Grim* (1951), State Library, Olympia, Wash.: Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Utah, Montana, Wyoming.
2. *Thelma Reid* (1951), California State Library, Sacramento 9, Calif.: California, Arizona, Nevada.
3. *Ralph Hudson* (1951), State Library, Oklahoma City, Okla.: New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana.
4. *Ola M. Wyeth* (1950), Public Library, Savannah, Ga.: Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky.
5. *Miss Perrie Jones* (1951), Public Library, St. Paul, Minn.: Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado.
6. *Marian McFadden* (1951), Public Library, Indianapolis, Ind.: Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana.
7. *Benjamin A. Custer* (1951), Public Library, 5201 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.: Michigan, Ohio, West Virginia.
8. *Emerson Greenaway* (1950), Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md.: Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia, New Jersey.
9. *S. Gilbert Prentiss* (1951), State Library, Albany, N.Y.: New York State.

10. *Mrs. Ethel B. Chandler* (1951), Public Library, East Bridgewater, Mass.: Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut.
11. *Mary E. Silverthorn* (1951), Ontario College, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, Canada: Canada.

State, Provincial, and Local Chairmen

Alabama: *Mrs. Lois R. Green* (1950).
Arizona: *Doris M. Whitwell* (1951).
Arkansas: *Irene V. Mason* (1950).
California:
Golden Empire District: *Mrs. Cecile J. Ritter* (1950).
Golden Gate District: *Mabel Edwards* (1950).
Southern District: *Elizabeth F. Norton* (1950).
Mt. Shasta District: *Mrs. Dorothy Wood Egbert* (1950).
Redwood District: *Mrs. Helen A. Everett* (1950).
Yosemite District: *Mrs. Dorothy D. Margo* (1950).
Colorado: *Margaret Hayes* (1951).
Connecticut: *Adeline H. Mix* (1951).
Delaware: *Dorcas H. Cheavens* (1950).
District of Columbia: *Mrs. Dorothy B. Porter* (1951).
Florida: *Sara M. Krentzman* (1951).
Georgia: *Roxanna Austin* (1951).
Idaho: *Marion T. Bingham* (1951).
Illinois: *Marjorie Stafford* (1951).
Chicago: *Gertude Gscheidle* (1951).
Champaign-Urbana Area: *Florence M. Harding* (1951).
Indiana: *Mrs. Susanna B. Wood* (1951).
Iowa: *Ruth E. Kellogg* (1950).
Kansas: *Mrs. Anna Neal Muller* (1950).
Kentucky: *Louise Seewer* (1951).
Louisiana: *Debora R. Abramson* (1951).
Maine: *Edward C. Heintz* (1951).
Maryland: *Elizabeth Simkins* (1951).
Baltimore: *Helen Charles* (1951).
Massachusetts:
Cambridge: *Philip J. McNiff* (1951).
Boston: *Ruth S. Cannell* (1951).
Michigan: *Beatrice Kobe* (1951).
Detroit: *Dorothy Hagberg* (1951).
Detroit Schools: *Mrs. Ellenor Rohrback* (1951).
Upper Peninsula: *Mrs. Nancy Blake Thomas* (1951).
Minnesota: *Emily Mayne* (1951).
Minneapolis: *Ernest L. Johnson* (1950).
St. Paul: *Maurine Hoffman* (1951).
Mississippi: *Dorothea Bignell* (1951).
Missouri: *Esther Mae Henke* (1950).
St. Louis: *Ruth T. Manlove* (1951).
Montana: *Lesley M. Heathcote* (1951).
Nebraska: *Kathryn Jensen* (1951).
Nevada: *Mrs. Clarabelle D. Hanley* (1951).
New Hampshire:
New Jersey: *Dorothy VanGorder* (1950).
Newark: *Marcia Cooley* (1950).
New Mexico: *Helen Hefling* (1951).
New York: Region 9.
Buffalo: *Paul Rooney* (1950).
Rochester: *Ruth Thulin* (1950).
Manhattan and Bronx: *Yerchanik Iskenderian* (1950).
Brooklyn: *Philip Adam* (1951).
Queens: *Attilia D. Perillo* (1950).
Long Island: *Helen M. MacDonough* (1950).
North Carolina: *Mrs. Helen Abel Brown* (1951).
North Dakota: *Donald W. Ferguson* (1950).
Ohio: *Mrs. Gladys S. Sepin* (1951).
Cincinnati: *Helen Guhman* (1951).
Cleveland: *Jean Ritchie* (1950).
Oklahoma: *Elizabeth C. Cooper* (1950).
Oregon: *Irene L. Craft* (1950).
Portland: *Louise Gilman Prichard* (1950).
Pennsylvania: *Richard L. Brown* (1951).
Philadelphia: *Alice Ruf* (1951).
Pittsburgh: *Adeline Bernstein* (1951).
Rhode Island: *Marion F. Holt* (1951).
South Carolina: *Mrs. Ella Sue Smith* (1950).
South Dakota: *Esto Jeanne Hatfield* (1951).
Tennessee: *Margaret K. Preston* (1951).
Texas: *Mary Carter Rice* (1951).
Utah: *Ralph D. Thomson* (1951).
Vermont: *Sidney B. Smith* (1951).
Virginia: *Christine Coffee* (1951).
Washington: *Miss Lee Hodson* (1951).
Seattle: *Marjorie Case* (1951).
West Virginia: *Mrs. Ruth Gambee* (1951).
Wisconsin: *Dorothy L. Last* (1951).
Milwaukee: *Celia Hauck* (1951).
Wyoming: *Christel Thode* (1950).

Canada

Alberta: *Flora McLeod* (1950).
British Columbia: *Arabell Peirson* (1951).
Manitoba and Saskatchewan: *Lyle E. Evans* (1950).
New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island: *Evelyn M. Campbell* (1950).
Ontario: *Hazel I. MacTaggart* (1950).
Quebec: *Bessie F. Fraser* (1951).

Hawaii

Suzanne Starr (1950), Library of Hawaii, Honolulu, T.H.

Membership Dues and Perquisites

Created by Council, January 1950.
No appointments made.

Midwinter Conferences

Created by Executive Board, January 1950.
No appointments made.

National Plans, Implementation of

Created by Executive Board, October 1947.

To encourage the study and use of the National Plans for Library Service.

Edward Arnold Chapman, Renesselaer Polytechnic Institute Library, Troy, N.Y., chairman.

Association of Research Libraries: *Jack Dalton.*

American Association of School Librarians:

Association of College and Reference Libraries: *Carl W. E. Hintz.*

Division of Cataloging and Classification: *Alice Elizabeth Phelps.*

Hospital Libraries Division: *Helen Virginia Pruitt.*

Institution Libraries Committee: *Theodore M. Cutler.*

Division of Libraries for Children and Young People: *Sarah Lewis Jones.*

Library Extension Division: *C. Ernestine Grafton.*

Public Libraries Division: *John S. Richards.*

Trustees Division: *M. M. Harris.*

Nominating

Provided for in By-Laws. Five members, no one of whom shall be a member of the Executive Board.

To nominate candidates for elective positions in accordance with Article III, Sections 1, 2, and 3, of the By-Laws of the Association.

Marian McFadden, Public Library, Indianapolis, Ind., chairman; *Jack Dalton; Mrs. Ruth Hale Gershevsky; M. Ruth MacDonald; Mrs. Janet Zimmerman McKinlay.*

***Oberly Memorial Fund**

To make an award biennially of the income of the Oberly Memorial Fund to the compiler submitting the best bibliography on agriculture or the related sciences. Effective with the award to be made in 1949, inclusive publication dates for materials to be considered by the committee shall be limited to the two calendar years preceding that in which the award is made.

Marvin A. Miller, University of Arkansas Library, Fayetteville, chairman (1950); *Paul S. Ballance* (1950); *D. A. Brown* (1951); *Mrs. Reba Davis Clevenger* (1951); *Lora F. Ives* (1950); *Mrs. Lillian Swenson Pankratz* (1951); *H. Dean Stallings* (1950).

Out-of-Print Books

Created by Executive Board, December 1938.

To consider the desirability of reprinting out-of-print books, to study what out-of-print books should be reprinted, and to take steps to encourage reprinting as may seem desirable.

Mrs. Edith Alice Busby, Public Library, Brooklyn 17, N.Y., chairman; *Isabel McLaughlin; Lois Ringo; Elsie A. Truesdale.*

***Personnel Administration, Board on**

Created by the Executive Board, July 17, 1936; made a board by the Council and name changed to Board on Salaries, Staff, and Tenure, June 1937. By vote of Council, October 1944, the name was changed to Board on Personnel Administration. Five members appointed for five-year terms, one member to be appointed annually. Chairman elected by the members annually.

1. To promote efficient personnel administration in all types of libraries by assembling, analyzing, and studying data; formulating procedures, standards, and recommendations; testing through discussion and field experimentation.

2. To publicize, publish, or otherwise make available information pertinent to the subjects listed below. To sponsor and/or direct special studies on such subjects.

3. To maintain close working relationships with allied agencies and interested professional groups and committees.

4. To encourage libraries to set up classification plans: (a) By preparing classification plans for all types and sizes of libraries which will serve as a pattern for the country as a whole and as a guide to individual libraries; (b) By furnishing advice and suggesting methods of procedure to individual libraries; (c) By keeping the profession informed of the various uses of classification plans.

5. To advocate the adoption of fair and adequate salary standards: (a) By collecting, studying, and making available data on salaries being paid, salary schedules, and conditions affecting salary schedules; (b) By comparing library salaries with those of other professions and groups having duties of equal weight and responsibility, particularly those requiring comparable academic and professional qualifications; (c) By preparing and recommending salary schedules applicable to different types and sizes of libraries.

6. To promote the welfare of library personnel: (a) By preparing and recommending satisfactory personnel procedures of selection, promotion, separation from service, rating, and other conditions of employment and working conditions; (b) By encouraging satisfactory staff relationships through employee organizations, credit unions, and other means of staff betterment.

7. To assemble information and make recommendations relative to guarding security of

tenure in professional library positions: (a) By setting up principles of tenure and a code of practice for handling investigations; (b) By considering and undertaking tenure investigations, when, in the opinion of the board, the situation merits investigation under the principles involved.

8. To consider and report on other problems of personnel management: (a) By investigating and reporting upon problems of civil service relations and merit systems and advising librarians and library boards relative thereto; (b) By surveying and reporting upon the conditions affecting employment.

9. To assume and exercise responsibility for all other library personnel problems not otherwise specifically assigned to other boards and committees.

Edward B. Stanford, University of Minnesota Library, Minneapolis, chairman (1953); *David H. Clift* (1952); *John Hall Jacobs* (1954); *Ruth H. Shapiro* (1951); *Eleanor Sharpless Stephens* (1950).

Subcommittee on Bibliography on Personnel Administration

Ralph E. McCoy, Institute of Labor and Industrial Relations Library, University of Illinois, Urbana, chairman; *Barbara Bitting; Donna D. Finger; Herbert Goldhor; Josie B. Houchens; Mrs. Ruth Rockwood.*

Subcommittee on Budgets, Compensation and Schemes of Service for Libraries in Institutions of Higher Education

Ralph Halstead Parker, University of Missouri Library, Columbia, chairman; *Thomas P. Fleming; Edward Geier Freehafer; Evelyn M. Fritz; Raymond P. Morris; Ruth Tarlton Power; William Robert Roalfe; Eileen Thornton; Robert G. Vosper.*

Subcommittee on Job Analysis Manual and Classification and Pay Plan Manual

(Discontinued.)

Subcommittee on Personnel Organization and Procedure

Amy Winslow, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore 1, Md., chairman.

Advisory Group: *Helen M. Clark; Anne Helen Farrington; Ruth Fine; Mrs. Marie Simon Goff; Mae Graham; Emerson Greenaway; Blanche Prichard McCrum; Harry N. Peterson; George Arthur Pughe, Jr.; Mrs. Louise Strother Shepard; Katharine Abigail Shorey.*

Working Group: *Mrs. Margaret M. Atwood; Beth Bryson; Martha J. Hubbard; Margaret L. Jacobs; Isabella Jinnette; Mrs. Mary Bowen Kenan; Mary Elizabeth Miller; Howard Rovelstad; Emily Caroline Schilpp; Marguerite Marshall Smith.*

Personnel Institutes

Created by Executive Board, January 1950. No appointments made.

***Photo Duplication and Multiple Copying Methods**

Created by Executive Board, May 1936, as Committee on Photographic Reproduction of Library Materials. By vote of Council, June 14, 1948, the name was changed to the Committee on Photo Duplication and Multiple Copying Methods with the following functions:

To maintain a continuing survey of technical improvements and new techniques in photoduplication and multiple copying methods; to make recommendations to the library world for the application of these improvements and new techniques; and to make a survey report at least annually for publication.

Ralph H. Carruthers, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y., chairman (1950); *Hubbard Walter Ballou* (1951); *Robert E. Booth* (1950); *Edward Arnold Chapman* (1951); *Alan Dale Covey* (1950); *William Porter Kellam* (1951); *George A. Schwegmann, Jr.* (1950); *Giles Freemont Shepherd, Jr.* (1951); *Robert Maxwell Trent* (1950).

Program

This committee shall consist of the President, the First Vice President, and the Executive Secretary of the Association, together with such other members as the committee may wish to add to its membership.

To prepare programs for the general sessions of the annual conferences and for all Council meetings; also schedules of all meetings of divisions, sections, round tables, affiliated societies, and other groups which desire to meet in connection with the annual conferences.

Milton E. Lord, Public Library, Boston 17, Mass., chairman; *John Mackenzie Cory; Clarence R. Graham; L. Quincy Mumford.*

Projected Books

Created by the Executive Board, October 1947.

To encourage the use of machines for projecting books for bedridden patients and other shut-ins.

Ralph Hudson, State Library, Oklahoma City, Okla., chairman; *Mrs. Mary Dickey Dearing; Avis M. Gregory; May Lilly; Clara Elizabeth Lucioli; Eugene B. Power.*

***Public Documents**

To take cognizance of matters relating to public documents issued in the United States, whether federal, state, or local, and matters relating to the official publications of foreign governments.

Jerome Kear Wilcox, College of the City of New York Library, Convent Ave. and 139th St., New York 31, N.Y., chairman (1950); *Mrs. Violet Abbott Cabeen* (1950); *J. Isaac Copeland* (1951); *Florence M. Gifford* (1950); *Elmer Mori Grieder* (1951); *Homer Halvorson* (1950); *Ruth Hardin* (1951); *Mary Brown Humphrey* (1950); *Evelyn E. Huston* (1950); *Isabel H. Jackson* (1951); *Marguerita McDonald* (1950); *Mrs. Janet F. Paris* (1950).

Public Library Executive Office, Advisory Committee to

Proposed by the Executive Board, October 1946.

To assist and advise the Public Library Specialist at A.L.A. Headquarters and to help avoid duplication of activity in the Library Extension Division, Division of Public Libraries, and Trustees Division.

Edward J. A. Fahey, 1306 H St., Belmar, N.J., chairman.

Library Extension Division: *Lucile Nix.*
Division of Public Libraries: *John S. Richards.*
Trustees Division: The chairman.

***Public Relations**

To encourage and stimulate a sound public relations program for all types of libraries, especially through A.L.A. conferences, and to advise the head of the Public Relations Office at A.L.A. Headquarters.

chairman; *Thomas Gilbert Brown* (1951); *B. J. Caldwell* (1950); *Edwin Castagna* (1951); *Eunice Collins* (1950); *Kate Coplan* (1950); *Mrs. Lura G. Currier* (1951); *Marie A. Davis* (1950); *Nancy Jane Day* (1951); *Mrs. Mary Peacock Douglas* (1950); *Ruth Barnett Ferguson* (1950); *Harriet Romeyn Forbes* (1951); *Gertude E. Gscheidle* (1951); *Delbert Raymond Jeffers* (1950); *Muriel E. Perry* (1951); *Olga M. Peterson* (1950); *Mrs. Evelyn Morgan Stanley* (1951).

Regional Conferences 1949, Evaluation of

Created by Executive Board, October 1949.

Harold Lancour, Library School, University of Illinois, Urbana, chairman (Midwest); *Nancy Jane Day* (Southeast); *Emerson Greenaway* (Middle Atlantic); *S. Janice Kee* (Trans-Mississippi); *Flora Belle Ludington* (New England); *Juanima Wells* (Southwestern); *Mrs. Carma R. Zimmerman* (Far West).

Relations with Business Groups

Created by Council, October 1944.

To focus attention on the ways in which libraries and committees, boards, chapters and divisions of the A.L.A. may extend and improve their relations with and service to business groups; to prepare a policy statement for general Association support; and seek other ways of promoting and clarifying understanding of the implication of cooperation with business groups.

Marian C. Manley, Business Branch Library, 34 Commerce St., Newark 2, N.J., chairman; *Martin Cohen; Edward J. A. Fahey; Mrs. Dorothy M. Lovett; Doris L. Mitchell; Otto Pragan; Harold J. Sander; Celeste M. Slauson.*

Resolutions

Originally provided for in the By-Laws of the Association. Three members.

To prepare and report to the Association at its annual conference suitable resolutions. All resolutions presented to the Association shall be automatically referred to the Council except resolutions of thanks.

(Appointed for duration of conference only.)

***Resources of American Libraries, Board on**

Created as a committee by Executive Board, 1923. Established as a board by Council in May 1936. Five members appointed for five-year terms, one to retire each year. Chairman elected by the members annually.

To study the present resources of American libraries; to suggest plans for coordination in the acquisition of research publications by American libraries.

Robert Bingham Downs, University of Illinois Library, Urbana, chairman (1950); *Andrew J. Eaton* (1953); *Carl W. E. Hintz* (1951); *Stephen A. McCarthy* (1954); *Benjamin Edward Powell* (1952).

Los Angeles Regional Subcommittee

David W. Davies, Claremont College Libraries, Claremont, Calif., chairman; *Leslie E. Bliss; Arthur G. Coons; (Miss) Christian R. Dick; Roland Hussey; Lawrence Clark Powell.*

Subcommittee for the Pacific Northwest

Harry C. Bauer, Univ. of Washington Library, Seattle, chairman; *Kathleen R. Campbell; E. S. Robinson; Nell Avery Unger; Lee F. Zimmerman; Charles W. Smith* (consultant).

Subcommittee for the South

Stanley L. West, University of Florida Libraries,

Gainesville, chairman; *Mrs. J. H. Crosland; Jack Dalton; Andrew J. Eaton; William Stanley Hoole; William H. Jesse; Marvin A. Miller; Charles E. Rush.*

Subcommittee on Union Catalogs and Bibliographical Centers

Mollie H. Hollreigh, Pacific Northwest Bibliographic Center, Seattle, Wash., chairman; *Andrew J. Eaton; Ralph Eugene Ellsworth; Stuart C. Sherman; Charles W. Smith; Mrs. Margaret D. Uridge; Frederick H. Wagman.*

***Serials**

Created by Executive Board, December 1936.

To consider the form, content, and prices of current serials in all languages, and to take suitable action in relation thereto when desirable; to make studies and recommendations on the exchange of current serials.

Raymond H. Shove, University of Minnesota Division of Library Instruction, Minneapolis, chairman (1950); *Gladys R. Boughton* (1950); *Forrest F. Carhart, Jr.* (1951); *Mrs. James Henley Crosland* (1951); *Harry T. Dewey* (1950); *Fred L. Dimock* (1951); *F. Bernice Field* (1950); *William H. Jesse* (1950); *Reuben Peiss* (1951); *Jane L. Pope* (1951); *Joseph H. Reason* (1950); *Frances Warner* (1950).

Seventy-Fifth Anniversary of A.L.A.

Created by Executive Board, October 1949. No appointments made.

State Library Agencies, Study of

Created by Executive Board, January 1950. No appointments made.

Statistics

Created by Council, May 1936.

To consider uniform annual report forms and submit recommendations thereon; to coordinate statistical activities of the Association and its affiliated agencies; to cooperate in statistical matters with the U.S. Office of Education and, when authorized by the Executive Board, with other agencies concerned with library statistics. The last phrase is intended to provide for possible cooperation with an unofficial agency such as one of the educational associations.

G. Flint Purdy, Wayne University Library, Detroit 1, Mich., chairman; *Herbert Goldhor; Clarence C. Gorchels; John Hall Jacobs; Lowell A. Martin; Irene Verna Mason; Louise Frances Rees; Eileen Thornton.*

***Subscription Books**

Created by Executive Board, 1926. Membership to include one member of the Editorial Committee.

To accumulate information about books sold on the subscription basis and about comparable publications; to prepare reviews and editorial comments about such books for the *Subscription Books Bulletin;* to receive reports of questionable sales practices affecting such books and to transmit substantiated facts to such agencies as Better Business Bureaus and the Federal Trade Commission; to publish the findings of these agencies in the *Subscription Books Bulletin* when authorized for release; and to act throughout only as an evaluating agency, not as an advisory group.

Joseph W. Rogers, Copyright Office, Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C., chairman (1950); *Harold Walter Batchelor* (1950); *Elizabeth M. Bond* (1951); *Helen M. Focke* (1950); *Emily Owen Garnett* (1950); *Elizabeth A. Groves* (1951); *Mrs. Ruth M. Heiss* (1950); *Alice Louise LeFevre* (1950); *Irene McAfee* (1950); *Margaret O. Meier* (1951); *Evelyn Day Mullen* (1950); *Foster M. Palmer* (1951); *Hazel Pulling* (1950); *E. J. Scheerer* (1951); *Margaret Sara Skiff* (1951).

Joint Committees, 1949-50

Organization and Duties

The following are joint committees of the A.L.A. with other organizations. They have been created as a means of cooperating with organizations having mutual interests or problems.

Appointments by A.L.A. to these committees are made as recommended by the Committee on Boards and Committees in its report of October 1944, "That in the selection of persons to serve on joint committees, the President, the President-Elect, and the Executive Board have the authority now possessed in connection with making other committee appointments."

Address, following name, is given for committee members not members of A.L.A.

Canadian Library Association and A.L.A.

Created by Executive Board, June 1945.

To consider relationships between the C.L.A. and the A.L.A., and to promote activities of mutual benefit. The chairman to be appointed by the A.L.A. in even numbered years and by the C.L.A. in odd numbered years.

William Kaye Lamb, Public Archives, Sussex St., Ottawa, Ont., Canada, chairman.

A.L.A.: *Helen M. Harris; John Richmond Russell.*

Canadian Library Association: The chairman; *Edgar S. Robinson.*

Documentation Service

Created by Executive Board, October 1946.

A joint committee with the following organizations: American Association of Law Libraries, A.L.A., A.C.R.L., Association of Research Libraries, Special Libraries Association.

To study the possibilities of providing documentation service in libraries and to this end to cooperate with other organizations.

Appointments not announced.

E.F.L.A. and A.L.A.

Created by Executive Board, December 1945.

Joint committee of the Educational Film Library Association and the American Library Association.

(Recommended for discontinuance.)

Far Eastern Association and A.L.A.

Charles H. Brown, Iowa State College Library, Ames, chairman.

American Library Association: The chairman; *Robert Bingham Downs; Warner G. Rice.*

Far Eastern Association: *Elizabeth Huff,* University of California, 1751 Highland Place, Berkeley; *Arthur W. Hummell,* Division of Orientalia, Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C.; *Osamu Shimizu,* Columbia University, 532 W. 114th St., New York 25, N.Y.

Film Forums, National Committee on

Created May 1941.

A joint committee.

(Recommended for discontinuance.)

Government Publications

Created by Executive Board, November 1943.

Joint committee with the organizations listed below.

To consider problems of publishing research reports and of storing materials for distribution after the war, of acquiring public documents and expediting their acquisition, and related matters.

American Library Association: *Homer Halvorson,* Johns Hopkins University Library, Baltimore, Md.

American Association of Law Libraries: *Matthew A. McKavitt,* Department of Justice Library, 10th and Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Association of Research Libraries: *James T. Babb,* Yale University Library, New Haven, Conn.

Special Libraries Association: No appointment.

Guide to Comparative Literature and Intercultural Relations

(Joint Steering Committee)

Created 1943.

To consider major policy questions connected with the preparation of the Guide.

A.L.A.: *John Mackenzie Cory.*

Association of American College: *Guy E. Snavely,* 744 Jackson Place, N.W., Washington 6, D.C.

National Council of Teachers of English: *W. Wilbur Hatfield,* 211 W. 68th St., Chicago, Ill.

A.L.A. representatives on Editorial Committee: *Agnes Camilla Hansen* and *Constance M. Winchell.*

Hospital Library Service

Special joint committee created by Executive Board, January 1943.

To consider the desirability of a study of hospital library service and, if found feasible, to plan for and supervise the study.

American College of Surgeons: *M. T. MacEachern,* 40 E. Erie St., Chicago, Ill.

American Hospital Association: *George Bugbee*, 18 E. Division St., Chicago, Ill.

American Library Association: *Henry T. Gartland.*

American Medical Association: *William G. Hibbs*, 700 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

American Psychiatric Association: *James K. Hall*, Westbrook Sanatorium, Richmond, Va.

Hospital Libraries Division: *Helen Virginia Pruitt.*

Medical Library Association: *L. Marguerite Prime.*

Importations

Created by Executive Board, October 1939.

Joint committee with representatives of other organizations listed below.

To keep the Association informed with regard to matters affecting the importation by American libraries of foreign books during wartime conditions; to make recommendations whenever they are deemed advisable.

Executive Committee

Thomas Paul Fleming, College of Physicians and Surgeons Library, Columbia University, 630 W. 168th St., New York, N.Y., chairman; *James T. Babb; Mabel Louise Conat; John Fall.*

Advisory Committee

American Association of Law Libraries: *Samuel E. Thorne*, Yale Law School Library, New Haven, Conn.

American Library Association: *Donald Coney*, University of California Library, Berkeley 4.

Association of College and Reference Libraries: The chairman.

Association of Research Libraries: *Keyes D. Metcalf.*

Medical Library Association: *Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bready*, 19 S. 22nd St., Philadelphia 3, Pa.

Music Libraries Association: *Mrs. Catharine K. Miller.*

Special Libraries Association: *Kenneth R. Shafter.*

International Library Congress, American Committee on Arrangements

Created by Executive Board, April 1947.

To plan for the next International Federation of Library Associations meeting to be held in the United States.

Milton E. Lord, Public Library, Boston 17, Mass., chairman.

American Library Association: The chairman; *Luther H. Evans; Flora Belle Ludington.*

Canadian Library Association: *Kathleen R. Jenkins.*

Medical Library Association: *Mrs. Eileen R. Cunningham; Janet Doe; Stanford V. Larkey*; Johns Hopkins University, Welch Medical Library, 1900 Monument St., Baltimore 5, Md.; *Joseph H. McNinch*, Army Medical Library, Washington 25, D.C.

Music Library Association: *Carleton Sprague Smith*, Music Division, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y.; *Harold Spivacke.*

Special Libraries Association: *Eleanor S. Cavanaugh*, Standard and Poor's Corporation, 345 Hudson St., New York, N.Y.

Labor Groups, Library Service to

Created by Executive Board, October 1946.

To discover ways of encouraging and assisting public libraries to develop specialized library services which will be useful to labor groups.

A.F. of L.: *John Connors*, Workers Educational Bureau, 1440 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

A.L.A.: *Dorothy Bendix*, chairman; *Ida Goshkin; Mrs. Helen Hirson; Anthony Luchek; Helen E. Steele.*

C.I.O.: *George T. Guernsey*, 718 Jackson Place, N.W., Washington 6, D.C.

Library Binding Institute and A.L.A.

Created by Executive Board, October 1934.

A joint committee with the Library Binding Institute.

To facilitate solution of problems of common interest to libraries and members of the Library Binding Institute; to cooperate in maintaining the highest possible standards of craftsmanship and responsibility of members of the L.B.I.; to make recommendations, and, upon request, to give assistance on binding matters to A.L.A. and L.B.I.

(See also Bookbinding.)

American Library Association: *Humphrey G. Bousfield; Leo R. Etzkorn.* Two vacancies.

Library Binding Institute: *J. Howard Atkins*, F. J. Barnard & Company, 368 Congress St., Boston 10, Mass.; *J. Vernon Ruzicka*, 228 E. Market St., Greensboro, N.C.; *Oscar Schnabel*, National Library Binding Company of Indiana, 546 Meridian St., Indianapolis 4, Ind.; *Lawrence D. Sibert*, New Method Book Bindery, 203 S. Kosciuszko St., Jacksonville, Ill.

Library of Congress Cataloging

Created by Executive Board, January 1948. (Recommended for discontinuance.)

Library of Congress Catalog Cards Longtime Plan for Financing

Created by Executive Board, January 1948. (No appointments to date.)

Library Work as a Career

Created following a Conference on Recruiting for the Library Profession, Nov. 22-23, 1947.

A joint committee with the organizations listed below.

To plan, sponsor, and carry out a coordinated nation-wide and profession-wide program of recruiting new personnel for library work which will unify the recruiting programs of constituent national library organizations.

Mrs. Florrinell Francis Morton, Louisiana State University Library School, Baton Rouge, chairman.

American Library Association: The chairman
Association of College and Reference Libraries: *Lawrence Sydney Thompson.*
Division of Cataloging and Classification: *Sarah K. Vann.*
Division of Public Libraries: *Helen Dolores Hutchinson.*
Library Education Division: *Carl H. Melinat.*
Library Extension Division: *Helen M. Clark.*
Art Reference Round Table: *Virginia L. Moran.*
Presidents and Editors Round Table: *James G. Hodgson.*
Staff Organizations Round Table: *Mildred T. Stibitz.*
American Association of Law Libraries: *R. Maurine Brunner.*
Association of Research Libraries: *Lawrence Clark Powell.*
Music Library Association: *Frank C. Campbell,* Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
Special Libraries Association: *Marguerite Giezentanner.*
Theatre Library Association: *Eliot Kurtz Myers.*
Association of American Library Schools: *James J. Kortendick.*
Catholic Library Association: *Rev. Redmond Burke,* DePaul University Libraries, Chicago, Ill.
Medical Library Association: *Mrs. Jacqueline W. Felter.*
Alabama Library Association: *Mrs. Ruth Waldrop.*
Arkansas Library Association: *Beth Welch.*
California Library Association: *Lewis F. Stieg.*
Colorado Library Association: *Margaret Hayes.*
Connecticut Library Association: *Celia T. Critchley.*
Florida Library Association: *Stanley L. West.*
Georgia Library Association: *Grace Hightower.*
Illinois Library Association: *Harold Lancour.*
Indiana Library Association: *Dan A. Williams.*
Louisiana Library Association: *Vivian Cazayoux.*
Maryland Library Association: *Mary Elizabeth Miller.*
Michigan Library Association: *Claxton E. Helms.*
Minnesota Library Association: *Margaret Marie Mull.*
Mississippi Library Association: *Mrs. Kenneth Gatchell,* Mississippi State College for Women, Columbus.
Missouri Library Association: *Elizabeth H. Spindler.*
Mountain Plains Library Association: *Arthur J. Vennix.*
Nevada Library Association: *Mrs. Lois Bicknell,* Reno High School Library, Reno.
New Jersey Library Association: *James E. Bryan.*
North Carolina Library Association: *Jane Wilson.*
North Carolina Negro Association: *D. E. Moore,* North Carolina College, Durham.
Oklahoma Library Association: *Mrs. Mary H. Marable.*
Ontario Library Association: *Isabel MacLean,* Public Library, Sudbury, Ontario.
Oregon Library Association: *Elsie M. Lundborg.*
Pacific Northwest Library Association: *Robert L. Gitler.*
Pennsylvania Library Association: *Carol Elizabeth Melson.*
South Carolina Library Association: *Helen Hagen,* Coker College, Hartsville.
South Dakota Library Association: *Kordillia Johnson.*
Southeastern Library Association: *Evalene Parsons Jackson.*
Southwestern Library Association: *Mrs. Florrinell F. Morton.*
Texas Library Association: *Mattie Ruth Moore.*
Utah Library Association: *Ruth M. Jones.*
Virginia Library Association: *Beverley Ruffin.*
Washington Library Association: *Eva Lou Robertson.*
West Virginia Library Association: *Florence Raese,* West Virginia University, Morgantown.
Wisconsin Library Association: *Edward B. Hayward.*

No appointments to date for the following: (1) State and regional library association: Arizona, Delaware, District of Columbia, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Massachusetts, Montana, Nebraska, New England, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Vermont and Wyoming. (2) Canada: Canadian Library Association and library associations of Alberta, British Columbia, Manitoba, Quebec and Saskatchewan. (3) Divisions: Hospital Libraries, Libraries for Children and Young People and Trustees. (4) Round tables: Junior Members, Library Unions. (5) Other groups: National Association of State Libraries.

Steering Committee: *Mrs. Florrinell Francis Morton; Marguerite Giezentanner; Anita M. Hostetter.*

Clearing House Subcommittee: *Eugene Payne Watson*, chairman.

Subcommittee on Publications:

Subcommittee to work with National Vocational Guidance Association: *Mrs. Janet Zimmerman McKinlay*, chairman.

Microcard

Created December 1944.

Joint committee with the groups listed below.

Functions (acceptable to A.L.A.): To attempt to work out standards, and make other preliminary decisions, with reference to Mr. Rider's project for the use of microcards.

Fremont Rider, Wesleyan University Library, Middletown, Conn., chairman.

American Library Association: *Donald Coney*, University of California Library, Berkeley 4.

Association of College and Reference Libraries: *Charles F. Gosnell.*

American Association of Law Libraries: *Miles D. Price*, Law Library, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.

Association of Research Libraries: *Keyes D. Metcalf.*

Bibliographical Society of America: *Mrs. Winifred G. Gerould*, 601 Pollard Park Dr., Williamsburg, Va.

Library of Congress: *John W. Cronin.*

Medical Library Association: *Esther Judkins*, Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research Library, New York, N.Y.

Society of American Archivists: *Oliver W. Holmes*, National Archives, Washington, D.C.

Special Libraries Association: *Marjorie C. Keenleyside.*

Members at Large: *Donald Coney; Clarence S. Paine; David Clift; Margaret Gill.*

Ex officio Members as Trustees Microcard Foundation: *Flora B. Ludington; James T. Babb; Paul North Rice.*

***N.E.A. and A.L.A.**

Authorized by Executive Board, 1929; appointed, 1931. Members appointed for five-year terms. Chairman elected by members.

A joint committee with the National Education Association.

To facilitate and promote joint studies and other cooperative activities by the two associations in the field of school library service.

Sara M. Krentzman, School of Library Training and Service, State University, Tallahassee, Fla., chairman (1952).

American Library Association: The chairman; *Helen S. Benhoff* (1950); *Rheta Clark* (1953); *Sue Hefley* (1951); *Virginia McJenkin* (1954).

National Education Association: *Amanda B. Bonwell*, 2055 E. Broadway, Long Beach 3, Calif. (1953); *Pauline Martin*, Atlanta, Ga. (1954); *Sallie B. Robinson*, 110 Sycamore St., Clarksburg, W.Va. (1950); *Merle S. Ward*, Superintendent of Schools, Valley City, N.D. (1952); *Ada Wing*, Public School Librarian, Centralia, Wash. (1951).

Rural Sociological Society and A.L.A.

Created by Executive Board, December 1946.

To study the research aspects of state demonstration plans.

A.L.A.: *Mrs. Mary B. Kenan*, Prince George's County Memorial Library, Hyattesville, Md., co-chairman; *Anne Helen Farrington; Margaret Fulmer; C. Ernestine Grafton.*

Rural Sociological Society: *Harold Hoffsommer*, Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College Park, co-chairman; *John Barton*, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison; *W. F. Kumlien*, South Dakota State College, Brookings; *Charles E. Lively*, Department of Rural Sociology, University of Missouri, Columbia.

Union List of Serials

Created January 1947.

To consider desirability of a supplement or complete revision of the *Union List of Serials* and to make plans for publication.

A.L.A.: *Wyllis E. Wright.*

American Association of Law Libraries: *Joseph L. Andrews*, Association of the Bar of the City of New York, 42 W. 44th St., New York, N.Y.

Association of College and Reference Libraries: *Jesse H. Shera.*

Association of Research Libraries: *Andrew D. Osborn.*

Bibliographical Society of America: *Deoch Fulton*, New York Public Library, New York 18, N.Y.

Canadian Library Association: *Marget Miekleham*, McMaster University Library, Hamilton, Ont., Canada.

Medical Library Association: *Mrs. Eleanor M. McNinch.*

Music Library Association: *Frank C. Campbell*, Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C.

National Research Council: *Raymond L. Zwemer*, N.R.C., 2101 Constitution Ave., Washington 25, D.C.

Special Libraries Association: *Betty Joy Cole*, Calco Chemical Division, American Cyanamid Co., Bound Brook, N.J.

Theatre Library Association: *Mrs. Katharine W. Glugston.*

A.L.A. Representatives on Other Organizations, Groups, and Committees

Adult Education, Joint Commission for the Study of: A.L.A. representatives—*Mrs. Florence Stevens Craig, John Mackenzie Cory, Richard B. Sealock.*

American Association for Adult Education, Commission on Motion Pictures in Adult Education: A.L.A. representatives—*Mrs. Patricia O. Blair, Gerald D. McDonald.*

American Association for the Advancement of Science: A.L.A. representative—*Melvin J. Voigt* (1949-50).

——, Inter-Society Committee for Science Legislation: A.L.A. representatives—*Paul Howard, Melvin J. Voigt.*

American Council on Education: A.L.A. representatives—*John Mackenzie Cory, Frances Henne, Anita M. Hostetter.*

——, Subcommittee on Social Security of Committee on Relationships of Higher Education to Federal Government: A.L.A. representative—*John Mackenzie Cory.*

American Documentation Institute: A.L.A. representative—*Keyes D. Metcalf.*

American Standards Association, Z39 Committee on Standardization in the Field of Library Work and Documentation: A.L.A. representative—*Lawrence Heyl.*

American Year Book, Supervisory Board: A.L.A. representative—*Milton James Ferguson.*

CARE (Cooperative for American Remittances to Europe, Inc.), Advisory Committee on Book Project: Member—*John Mackenzie Cory.*

Council of National Library Associations: A.L.A. representatives—*Milton E. Lord,* President of A.L.A. or his appointed representative; *Errett Weir McDiarmid,* Retiring President of A.L.A.

——, Joint Committee on Education for Librarianship: A.L.A. representative—*Richard H. Logsdon.*

Decimal Classification Committee of Lake Placid Education Foundation: A.L.A. nominees—*Evelyn Mildred Hensel* (1945-52), *Harriet Dorothea MacPherson* (1943-50), *Mrs. Elizabeth S. Radtke* (1949-55).

Educational Policies Commission of the National Education Association and American Association of School Administrators: Consultant—*John Mackenzie Cory.*

Film Council of America: A.L.A. representative on Senate—*Mrs. Patricia O. Blair; John Mackenzie Cory.*

Hewins Scholarship Fund, Committee of Award: A.L.A. appointee—*Jennie D. Lindquist* (1948-50).

Institute of International Education: A.L.A. representative to confer with the Institute on applicants for library fellowships—*Luther H. Evans,* chairman, A.L.A. International Relations Board.

International Library Committee: A.L.A. representatives—*Milton E. Lord* (1950-54); *William Warner Bishop* (A.L.A. representative emeritus for life).

Library of Congress, Committee to Advise on the Distribution of Foreign Acquisitions: A.L.A. representative—*Robert B. Downs.*

Midcentury White House Conference on Children and Youth, Committee on Communications: Member—*John Mackenzie Cory.*

National Association of Foreign Student Advisers: A.L.A. representative—*Richard H. Logsdon.*

National Board of Review of Motion Pictures, Inc., General Assembly: A.L.A. representative—*Mrs. Mildred V. D. Mathews.*

National Boys and Girls Week, Advisory Committee for the United States: Members—*Milton E. Lord, Elizabeth A. Groves,* and *Mildred L. Batchelder.*

National Bureau of Standards, Standing Committee for Book Cloths, Buckram, and Impregnated Fabrics, Commercial Standards CS57-40: A.L.A. representative—*John Archer.*

National Council for Community Improvement: A.L.A. representative not appointed.

National Council of Teachers of English, Committee on Book Lists for Junior and Senior High Schools: A.L.A. representative—*Margaret R. Greer;* A.L.A. consultant—*Mildred L. Batchelder.*

National Health Council, Advisory Committee on Local Health Units: A.L.A. representative not appointed.

National League of Nursing Education, Subcommittee on the Nursing School Library of Central Curriculum Committee: A.L.A. representatives—*Elizabeth Ann Harrington, Ruth S. Leonard, Charlotte Studer.*

United Nations: A.L.A. observer—*Lowell A. Martin.*

United States Book Exchange: A.L.A. representative—*Milton E. Lord.*

United States Mission to United Nations: A.L.A. observer—*Lowell A. Martin.*

United States National Commission for Unesco: A.L.A. representative—*Milton E. Lord.*

——, Panel on Adult Education: Member—*John Mackenzie Cory.*

United States Office of Education, Audio Visual Education Committee: A.L.A. representative —*Mrs. Patricia O. Blair.*

H. W. Wilson Company: A.L.A. representative (to attend meetings of Board of Directors)—*John Fall* (1950-52).

Divisions and Round Tables of the Association

Only A.L.A. members may be members of a division, round table, or discussion group except as provided in the By-Laws, Article VI, Section I. Divisions may prescribe any additional qualifications for membership they may desire.

The following divisions have been formed by the Council, affecting former sections, one national affiliated organization, and several round tables.

Some former sections have become round tables, in accordance with the provision in the By-Laws, Article VII, Section 1. Any member of the A.L.A. may become a member of any round table by complying with its requirements for membership.

Any group may organize as a division or part of a division or become a round table upon complying with the provisions in the By-Laws.

DIVISIONS

ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGE AND REFERENCE LIBRARIES

A Division of the American Library Association

First meeting, 1889; by-laws adopted, 1923; new and revised by-laws adopted, 1938. (Formerly College and Reference Section. Name changed by vote of the section, June 1938, approved by the Council, December 1938. New constitution and by-laws adopted May 30, 1940, and accepted as a division by the A.L.A. Council, May 31, 1940.) The Association of College and Reference Libraries has as its object the promotion of library service and librarianship in college, university, and research libraries including the reference departments of public libraries. Its program of activities is designed to advance the standards of library service, in the broadest sense, in these kinds of libraries and to continue the professional and scholarly growth of their staffs. The association normally holds general sessions and business meetings at annual conferences and midwinter meetings. Each of the seven sections normally has a program session at the annual convention and the midwinter meeting for the presentation of problems peculiar to its special services.

Officers for 1949-50: President, *Wyllis E. Wright*, Williams College, Williamstown, Mass.; vice president and president-elect, *Charles M. Adams*, Woman's College Library, University of North Carolina, Greensboro; treasurer, *Thomas S. Shaw*, School of Librarianship, University of California, Berkeley; executive secretary, *Arthur T. Hamlin*, A.L.A. Headquarters, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago 11, Ill.; past president, *Benjamin E. Powell*, Duke University Library, Durham, N.C. General directors: *Mary R. Kinney*, School of Library Science, Simmons College, Boston, Mass.; *Elizabeth Neal*, Compton Junior College Library, Compton, Calif.; *Anne M. Smith*, University of British Columbia Library, Vancouver.

Directors representing sections: Agricultural Libraries: *Louise O. Bercaw*, U.S. Department of Agriculture Library, Washington, D.C.; College Libraries: *Humphrey G. Bousfield*, Brooklyn College Library, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Engineering School Libraries: *William H. Hyde, Jr.*, Illinois Institute of Technology Library, Chicago, Ill.; Junior College Libraries: *C. Lawrence Lynn*, Wright Junior College Library, Chicago, Ill.; Reference Librarians: *Winifred Ver Nooy*, University of Chicago Libraries, Chicago, Ill.; Libraries of Teacher Training Institutions: *Donna E. Sullivan*, State Teachers College Library, Fredonia, N.Y.; University Libraries: *Robert B. Downs*, University of Illinois Library, Urbana. Chairmen of sections are ex officio directors without a vote.

A.C.R.L. representatives on A.L.A. Council: *Johanna E. Allerding*, Engineering Library, University of California at Los Angeles; *Katherine E. Anderson*, Library Association, Portland, Ore.; *Robert W. Christ*, Duke University Library, Durham, N.C.; *Donald T. Clark*, Baker Library, Harvard University School of Business Administration, Boston, Mass.; *Edith M. Coulter*, School of Librarianship, University of California, Berkeley; *J. Periam Danton*, School of Librarianship, University of California, Berkeley; *William H. Hyde, Jr.*, Illinois Institute of Technology Library, Chicago; *Florence L. King*, Wellesley College Library, Wellesley, Mass.; *Jean F. Macalister*, Library, University of California at Los Angeles; *Arthur M. McAnally*, University of Illinois Library, Urbana; *Harriet Dorothea MacPherson*, School of Library Science, Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia, Pa.; *Foster E. Mohrhardt*, Library Services, U.S. Veterans Administration, Washington D.C.; *John H. Moriarty*, Purdue University Libraries, Lafayette, Ind.; *Gerhard B. Naeseth*

University of Wisconsin Library, Madison; *G. Flint Purdy*, Wayne University Library, Detroit, Mich.; *Dorothy M. Sinclair*, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md.; *Edwin E. Williams*, Harvard College Library, Cambridge, Mass.

Sections

Agricultural Libraries: Chairman, *Nelle U. Branch*, College of Agriculture Library, University of California, Davis; secretary, *Whiton Powell*, State College of Agriculture Library Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y.

College Libraries: Chairman, *Wyman W. Parker*, Kenyon College Library, Gambier, Ohio; vice chairman and chairman-elect, *Eileen Thornton*, Vassar College Library, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; secretary, *David T. Wilder*, Hamilton College Library, Clinton, N.Y.

Engineering School Libraries: *Johanna E. Allerding*, Engineering Library, University of California at Los Angeles; secretary, *Francis H. Wilson*, Purdue University Library, Lafayette, Ind.

Junior College Libraries: Chairman, *Frances L. Meals*, Colby Junior College Library, New London, N.H.; vice chairman and chairman-elect, *Lola Rivers Thompson*, John Tarleton Agricultural College Library, Stephenville, Tex.; secretary, *Ruth Ellen Scarborough*, Centenary Junior College Library, Hackettstown, N.J.

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There were 4,649 members of the division as of Dec. 31, 1949.

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Publications: *College and Research Libraries* is published quarterly: January, April, July, and October. The subscription price to members of the Association of College and Reference Libraries is $3 per year. To non-members, $4 in the United States, Canada, and Latin America; in other countries, $4.25; single copies, $1.25. Payment for subscriptions should be made to the American Library Association.

DIVISION OF CATALOGING AND CLASSIFICATION

The Catalog Section established by the Council in 1900 was reorganized as the Division of Cataloging and Classification in 1940. Its object is to contribute to library service and librarianship through encouragement and promotion of activities in the field of cataloging and classification and related areas, through cooperation with other groups interested in these fields, and through encouragement of activities for the benefit of the professional welfare of the members.

The division has issued a series of 11 yearbooks, 1929-45, entitled *Catalogers and Classifiers' Yearbook,* and since 1944, to its members, the quarterly *News Notes of the Executive Board.* The latter publication is superseded by the quarterly *Journal of Cataloging and Classification,* which is distributed to the membership.

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DIVISION OF HOSPITAL LIBRARIES

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The division replaces the former Hospital Libraries Round Table which formed the nucleus of the new division.

The purpose of the division is to promote the establishment of libraries for patients and personnel in hospitals, to further their better organization and administration, to interest public libraries and other agencies in extending library service to hospitals, and to advance professional training for hospital library service.

There were 388 members of the division as of Dec. 31, 1949.

Membership: Any member of the A.L.A. interested in hospital libraries may become a member of the division by indicating the division when paying A.L.A. dues.

Dues: The division will receive 20 per cent of the dues paid to the A.L.A. by each member who specifies this division at the time of paying his dues. If this division is the second one with which the member wishes to affiliate, he should add the 20 per cent of his A.L.A. dues (not to exceed $2) which the A.L.A. in turn passes on to the division.

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DIVISION OF LIBRARIES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

The Division of Libraries for Children and Young People was organized and adopted its constitution and by-laws in June 1941. On June 24, 1941, the division was approved by A.L.A. Council. The division is made up of the American Association of School Librarians (formerly the School Libraries Section which had its first meeting in 1915), the Children's Library Association (which had its first meeting in 1901) and the Association of Young People's Librarians (which as the Young People's Reading Round Table first met in 1930).

The object of the division is to promote librarianship and library service for children and young people in all types of libraries and to cooperate with library and education groups in the promotion of enterprises affecting the welfare of youth.

One general and one business meeting are held during the annual conference and both program and business meetings are held by the sections.

The division issues a quarterly bulletin, *Top of the News*. Editor, *Marian C. Young*, Public Library, Detroit, Mich.; associate editor, *Mrs. Alice Brooks McGuire*, 1507 Pease Road, Austin, Tex.; business and advertising manager, *(Miss) Norris McClellan*, Library School, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La.

Membership: 4375 (Dec. 31, 1949). Any member of the A.L.A. may become a member of the Division of Libraries for Children and Young People when he pays his annual dues, by indicating his desire for affiliation with the di-

vision. At the same time, he may become a member of the section of the division which represents his interest (A.A.S.L., C.L.A., A.Y.P.L.—see below for these).

Division membership (Dec. 31, 1949): Sections: American Association of School Librarians 2236
Association of Young People's Librarians 726
Children's Library Association 1518
Division total (includes 252 with division affiliation only) 4375

Officers for 1949-50: President, *Elizabeth Alice Groves*, School of Librarianship, University of Washington, Seattle; vice president and president-elect, *Mae Graham*, State Department of Education, Baltimore, Md.; treasurer, *Louise Frances Rees*, State Library, Lansing, Mich.; executive secretary, *Mildred L. Batchelder*, American Library Association, Chicago 11, Ill.

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A.L.A. Councilors: *Virginia Chase*, Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pa. (1950); *Helen M. Iredell*, Woodrow Wilson High School Library, Long Beach, Calif. (1950); *Mrs. Beatrice W. Schein*, Free Public Library, Newark, N.J. (1950); *Esther V. Burrin*, State Department of Education, Indianapolis, Ind. (1951); *Mrs. Margaret A. Edwards*, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md. (1951); *Mrs. Lillian Lawyer Snyder*, Adams County Free Library, Gettysburg, Pa. (1951); *Mrs. Josephine Lynch Tompkins*, Public Library, San Diego, Calif. (1952); *Wilma Bennett*, District High School Library, Lowell, Ind. (1952); *Ruth E. Hewitt*, Public Library, Seattle, Wash. (1953); *Elenora C. Alexander*, Public Schools, 1500 Louisiana St., Houston 3, Tex. (1953); *Elizabeth Burr*, Free Library Commission, Madison, Wis. (1953); *Louise Galloway*, State Department of Education, Frankfort, Ky. (1953); *Helen B. Lewis*, Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio (1953); *Mrs. Dilla W. MacBean*, Board of Education Library, Chicago, Ill. (1953).

Committees

Division committee chairmen: A.L.A. Conference Publicity, *Mary K. Eakin*, Children's Book Center, University of Chicago Libraries, Chicago, Ill.; Binding, *Mrs. Marian Herr*, Library Association, Portland, Ore.; Budget, *Mae Graham*, State Department of Education, Baltimore, Md.; Constitution, *Elizabeth D. Briggs*, Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio; Education for Library Work with Children and Young People, *Frances Henne*, Graduate Library School, University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Electi[illegible], *(Miss) Lesley Newton*, Public Library, Lakewood, Ohio; Evaluation of Book Selection Aids, *Mrs. Louane Leech Newsome*, Public Library, River Forest, Ill.; Implementation of Division Goals, *Anna Clark Kennedy*, State Education Department, Albany, N.Y. International Relations, *Margaret C. Scoggin*, Public Library, New York, N.Y.; List, *Sara Innis Fenwick*, Laboratory School, University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.; Magazine Evaluation, *Doris M. Cole*, Public Schools, Massena, N.Y.; Nominating, *Ruth E. Hewitt*, Public Library, Seattle, Wash.; Publications Planning, *Sue Hefley*, Library School, University of Texas, Austin. After June 1, 1950, at: Webster Parish Schools, Minden, La.; Radio Broadcasts and Recordings, *Miriam Elizabeth Peterson*, Board of Education, Chicago, Ill.; Recruiting, *Mrs. Katherine Plummer Jeffery*, Public Library, Brockton, Mass.

Sections

American Association of School Librarians: Chairman, *Mrs. Margaret Kessler Walraven*, N. R. Crozier Technical High School Library, Dallas, Tex.; vice chairman, *Laura K. Martin*, Department of Library Science, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky.; secretary, *Louise Anthony*, Board of Education Library, Alton, Ill.; treasurer, *June Labb*, Wallace High School Library, Gary, Ind.; directors, *Mabel A. Turner*, School of Librarianship, University of Washington, Seattle (1950); *Esther Millett*, Hillard Memorial Library, Westover School, Middlebury, Conn. (1951), *Eloise Camp*, State Department of Public Instruction, Raleigh, N.C. (1952); *Frances Henne*, Graduate Library School, University of Chicago (retiring chairman).

A.A.S.L. Committees: AUDIO VISUAL, *Mrs. Dilla W. MacBean*, Board of Education Library, Chicago, Ill.; BUDGET, *Edna E. Gustafson*, West High School Library, Denver, Colo.; CONSTITUTION, *Elizabeth Neal*, Compton Junior College Library, Compton, Calif.; ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LIBRARIES, *Hazelle Anderson*, Township High School and Junior College Library, Joliet, Ill.; HONORARY MEMBERS, *Anna Clark Kennedy*, State Education Department, Albany, N.Y.; INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL LIBRARY ACTIVITIES, *Marion Horton*, Board of Education Library, Los Angeles, Calif.; MEMBERSHIP, *Margaret Nicholsen*, Morton Township High School and Junior College, Cicero, Ill.; NOMINATING, *Margaret Louise Turk*, Wiley High School Library, Terre Haute, Ind.; PLANNING SCHOOL LIBRARY QUARTERS, *Lucile F. Vickers*, East High School Library, Sioux City, Iowa; PUBLIC RELATIONS, *Margaret I. Lee*, Central Commercial High School Library, New York, N.Y.; READING FOR BACKGROUND, *Eloise Camp*, State Department of Public Instruction, Raleigh, North Carolina; STATISTICS, *Mary Louise Mann*, Arsenal Technical High School Library, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Children's Library Association: Chairman, *Margaret Mary Clark*, Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio; vice chairman, *Ruth E. Hewitt*, Public Library, Seattle, Wash.; secretary, *Margaret Elizabeth Martignoni*, Public Library, Brooklyn, N.Y.; treasurer, *Elizabeth M. Gordon*, Public Library, Boston, Mass.; past chairman, *Virginia Chase*, Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pa.

C.L.A. committee chairmen: BOOK EVALUATION, *Isabella Jinnette*, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md.; BOOK PRODUCTION, *Mrs. Edith Patterson Meyer*, Abingdon-Cokesbury Press, New York, N.Y.; INTERNATIONAL, *M. Ethel Bubb*, Public Library of the District of Columbia, Washington, D.C.; MEMBERSHIP, *Laura M. Steese*, Public Library, Flint, Mich.; NEWBERY AND CALDECOTT AWARDS, *Ruth E. Hewitt*, Public Library, Seattle, Wash.; PUBLICITY, *Elizabeth Henry Gross*, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md.

Association of Young People's Librarians: Chairman, *Elinor Walker*, Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pa.; vice chairman, *Mrs. Blanche Brauneck*, Nathan Straus Branch, Public Library, New York, N.Y.; secretary, *Madeline J. Margo*, Public Library, Youngstown, Ohio; treasurer, *Harriet A. Cox*, Library Association, Portland, Ore.

A.Y.P.L. committees: CONSTITUTION, *Dorothy Lawson*, Holladay Memorial Branch for Young People, Public Library, Indianapolis, Ind.; MEMBERSHIP, *Harriet A. Cox*, Library Association, Portland, Ore.; NOMINATING, *Mrs. Katherine Plummer Jeffery*, Public Library, Brockton, Mass.

LIBRARY EDUCATION DIVISION

The Division of Library Education was established June 21, 1946, by vote of the Council accepting the petition for divisional status submitted by the Professional Training Round Table. The round table thus became the Division of Library Education. Constitution and by-laws were adopted and officers were elected June 21, 1946.

The purpose of the division is to advance the interest of librarianship through the maintenance and improvement of standards in education for librarianship and through the study of personnel problems.

Membership: Any member of the A.L.A. interested in education for librarianship or in personnel problems may become a member of this division upon payment of dues as provided in the by-laws. A section may, however, restrict membership in accordance with the by-laws of the A.L.A. There were 339 members of the division as of Dec. 31, 1949.

Dues: The division receives 20 per cent of the dues paid to the A.L.A. by each member who specifies this division at the time of paying his dues. If the division is a member's second division he may secure membership by adding 20 per cent to his A.L.A. dues (not to exceed $2) which will be paid to the Division of Library Education by the A.L.A.

Officers: President, *G. Flint Purdy*, Wayne University Library, Detroit, Mich.; vice president, *Harriet D. MacPherson*, School of Library Science, Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia, Pa.; secretary, *Winifred B. Linderman*, School of Library Service, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.; treasurer, *W. Roy Holleman*, Balboa University Library, San Diego, Calif.

Directors: *Mary Virginia Gaver*, State Teachers College Library, Trenton, N.J. (past president); *Wayne Shirley*, Pratt Institute Library, Brooklyn, N.Y. (1947-50); *Thelma Eaton*, University of Illinois Library School, Urbana (1948-51); *Douglas Bryant*, U.S. Information Service, c/o American Embassy, London, England (1949-52).

Committees

Nominations: *Wharton Miller*, Syracuse University Library, Syracuse, N.Y.; *Sara M. Krentzman, Andrew D. Osborn.*

Membership: Chairman, *Hazel Pulling*, School of Library Training and Service, Florida State University, Tallahassee; *Ferne R. Hoover, Edith A. Case, Barbara Dawson, Thelma Eaton, Jacqueline Cravens, Sara M. Krentzman, Dora B. Smith.*

LIBRARY EXTENSION DIVISION

Library Extension Division, organized December 1941, includes the County and Regional Libraries Section and State Agency Section. Constitution and by-laws adopted and temporary officers chosen. First election, June 1942.

Purpose: "The field of activity shall be broad enough to cover all library extension interests in state, province, region, county, or parish and shall include also those persons interested in library extension, county or regional libraries, university extension libraries, state supervisors of school libraries, institution library supervisors, etc."

Officers: President, *Lucile Nix,* State Department of Education, Atlanta, Ga. (1950); vice presidents, County and Regional Section: *Nettie B. Taylor,* Library Extension Division, State Department of Education, Baltimore, Md. (1950); State Agency Section: S. *Janice Kee,* State Library, Jefferson City, Mo. (1950); executive secretary, *Juanima Wells,* Bexar County Free Library, San Antonio, Tex. (1952); treasurer, *Maryan E. Reynolds,* State Library, Olympia, Wash. (1950).

Directors: *Alta M. Parks,* Ingham County Library, Mason, Mich. (1950); *Mrs. Carma R. Zimmerman,* State Library, Olympia, Wash. (1950); *Eleanor N. Wilson,* Kern County Free Library, Bakersfield, Calif. (1952); *Sallie J. Farrell,* State Library, Baton Rouge, La. (1952); *Dorothy E. Hiatt,* Macomb County Library, Mount Clemens, Mich. (1951); *Irene V. Mason,* State Library Commission, Little Rock, Ark. (1951).

A.L.A. Councilors: *Helen M. Clark,* Library Extension Division, State Department of Education, Baltimore, Md. (1951); *Mrs. Gretchen Knief Schenk,* Summerdale, Ala. (1952).

Sections

County and Regional Libraries: Chairman, *Nettie B. Taylor,* Library Extension Division, State Department of Education, Baltimore, Md.; secretary-treasurer, *Margaret Johnston,* Haywood County Public Library, Waynesville, N.C. (1951); directors: *C. Ernestine Grafton,* Extension Division, State Library, Richmond, Va. (1950); *Mrs. Marion L. Cromwell,* Pierce County Public Library, Tacoma, Wash. (1950).

State Agency: President, S. *Janice Kee,* State Library, Jefferson City, Mo. (1950); vice president, *Mrs. Mabel J. Niemeyer,* State Department of Education, Trenton, N.J.; secretary, *Estellene P. Walker,* State Library Board, Columbia, S.C.; treasurer, *Jean E. Mason,* State Library, Baton Rouge, La.; executive board member, *Maryan E. Reynolds,* State Library, Olympia, Wash.

Committees

Planning: *C. Ernestine Grafton,* Extension Division, State Library, Richmond, Va., chairman; *Eleanor Stephens, Roger H. McDonough, Helen E. Kremer, Dorothy Randolph, Essae M. Culver, Emily L. Mayne.*

Branch Building: *John Dale Henderson,* County Public Library, Los Angeles, Calif.

Archives: *Lucile Deaderick,* Fort Loudon Regional Library, Lenoir City, Tenn.

Standards: *Mrs. Loleta Dawson Fyan,* State Library, Lansing, Mich., chairman; *Martha M. Parks, Mildred W. Sandoe, Mrs. Carma R. Zimmerman, Gladys F. Hitchcock, Helen Luce.*

Training: *L. Marion Moshier,* Division of Library Extension, State Education Department, Albany, N.Y., chairman; *Mrs. Lois Rainer Green, Harriet E. Howe, Juanima Wells, Mary E. Wright.*

Bookmobile: *Jeannette Johnson,* State Library, Lower Peninsula, Cadillac, Mich., chairman; *Frederica E. Killgore, Shirley Brother, (Miss) Dawes Markwell, Stewart W. Smith, Mary A. Stewart, Emily C. Wilson.*

Representative on Council of National Library Associations: *L. Marion Moshier,* Division of Library Extension, State Education Department, Albany, N.Y.; *Lucile Nix,* alternate.

Membership: *Maryan E. Reynolds,* State Library, Olympia, Wash., chairman.

Institute Program: *Helen M. Clark,* Library Extension Division, State Department of Education, Baltimore, Md., chairman; *Ruth M. Ersted,* representative of the Division of Libraries for Children and Young People.

Representative on Advisory Subcommittee of Board of Personnel Administration: *Dorothy Strouse,* Lucas County Library, Maumee, Ohio.

Representative on Joint Advisory Committee to work with the A.L.A. Public Library Specialist: *Lucile Nix,* State Department of Education, Atlanta, Ga.

Exhibits and Pictures: *Beverly Wheatcroft,* Library Extension Service, State Department of Education, Atlanta, Ga., chairman, *Dorothy Van Gorder, Clara M. Hart.*

Recruiting: *Helen M. Clark,* Library Extension Division, State Department of Education, Baltimore, Md., chairman; *Dora Ruth Parks.*

Statistics: *Dorothy Strouse,* Lucas County Library, Maumee, Ohio.

Merger of Library Extension Division, Public Libraries Division, and Trustees Division: *Mrs. Gretchen Knief Schenk,* Summerdale, Ala., chairman, *Mrs. Loleta Dawson Fyan, Thelma Reid, Mildred W. Sandoe,* representative on Constitution Committee.

Dues: The division receives 20 per cent of the dues paid to the A.L.A. by each member

who specifies this division at the time of paying his dues.

If this division is a member's second division he may secure membership by adding 20 per cent to his A.L.A. dues (not to exceed $2) which will be paid to this division by the A.L.A.

Membership: 489 as of Dec. 31, 1949.

DIVISION OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES

The Division of Public Libraries was approved by vote of Council, March and October 1944, following organization meetings, filing of petitions by nearly 1200 members, and preparation of a tentative draft of a constitution and by-laws.

The purpose of the division is to advance public library interests and to cooperate in the promotion of library service in general.

There were 3666 members of the division as of Dec. 31, 1949.

Membership: Any member of the A.L.A. interested in public libraries may become a member of the Division of Public Libraries by indicating the division and section when paying A.L.A. dues.

Dues: The division receives 20 per cent of the dues paid to the A.L.A. by each member who specifies this division at the time of paying his dues. If this division is the second division with which the member wishes to affiliate, he should add 20 per cent to his A.L.A. dues (not to exceed $2), which A.L.A. in turn passes on to the division.

Officers for 1949-50: President, *John S. Richards,* Public Library, Seattle, Wash.; past president, *Louis M. Nourse,* Public Library, St. Louis, Mo.; vice president, *Helen M. Harris,* Lawson McGhee Library, Knoxville, Tenn.; treasurer, *Marie W. Barkman,* Mead Public Library, Sheboygan, Wis.; executive secretary, *Eleanor Plain,* Public Library, Aurora, Ill.

Directors, and sections they represent, in addition to the above officers: Directors at large—*Mary Louise Alexander,* Ferguson Library, Stamford, Conn. (1950); *Walter H. Kaiser,* Wayne County Library, Detroit, Mich. (1951); *Nell Avery Unger,* Library Association, Portland, Ore. (1952). Adult Education Section, *Beatrice Lorraine,* Public Library, River Forest, Ill.; Armed Forces Librarians Section, *Dorothy F. Deininger,* Bureau of Naval Personnel, U.S. Department of Navy, Washington, D.C.; Branch Librarians Section, *Mrs. Thekla Roese Hodgson,* Duffield Branch, Public Library, Detroit, Mich.; Business and Technology Section, *Milton A. Drescher,* Public Library, Milwaukee, Wis.; Order and Book Selection Section, *Mrs. Edith A. Busby,* Public Library, Brooklyn, N.Y.

A.L.A. Councilors: *Margaret Jean Clay,* Public Library, Victoria, B.C., Canada (1950); *Mrs. Helen Seymour Farrington,* Public Library, El Paso, Tex. (1950); *Robert Dumont Franklin,* Public Library, Toledo, Ohio (1950); *Laurence J. Clarke,* Public Library, San Francisco, Calif. (1951); *Grace W. Gilman,* Lincoln Library, Springfield, Ill. (1951); *Alice L. Jewett,* Public Library, Mount Vernon, N.Y. (1951); *Georgie G. McAfee,* Public Library, Lima, Ohio (1951); *Doris L. Hoit,* Public Library, Pasadena, Calif. (1952); *Howard M. Rowe,* Public Library, Santa Barbara, Calif. (1953); *Miss Perrie Jones,* Public Library, St. Paul, Minn. (1953); *Mrs. Emily Miller Danton,* Public Library, Birmingham, Ala. (1953).

Committees

Auditing: *Sybil C. Schuette,* Kellogg Public Library, Green Bay, Wis.; *H. Alberta Seiz,* Public Library, Manitowoc, Wis.

Constitution, By-Laws and Organization: Chairman: *Richard Sealock,* Public Library, Kansas City, Mo.; *Viola R. Maihl, Louis M. Nourse, Frederick Wezeman, Amy Winslow.*

Editorial Board of *Public Libraries:* Chairman, *Raymond C. Lindquist,* Cuyahoga County Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio; *Helen A. Ridgway, Ruth Gregory, Muriel Perry.*

Elections: Chairman, *Vernell C. Dammeier,* Public Library, Maywood, Ill.; *Audrey E. Faulkner, Helen M. Nordlund, Mary Belle Friesen.*

Library Architecture: Chairman, *Ernest I. Miller,* Public Library, Cincinnati, Ohio; *Wessie Connell, John T. Eastlick, Helen M. Focke, Hoyt R. Galvin, Charles M. Mohrhardt, E. S. Robinson.*

Membership: Chairman, *Marian McFadden,* Public Library, Indianapolis, Ind. (Other committee members to be announced.)

Nominating: Chairman, *Forrest Spaulding,* Public Library, Des Moines, Iowa; *Mary Louise Alexander, Margaret Fulmer.*

Personnel Administration and Recruiting: Chairman, *Helen D. Hutchinson,* Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md.; *Martha Louise Ellison, Helen L. Norris, Bernard W. Van Horne, William T. Weitzel.*

Planning: Chairman, *Helen M. Harris,* Lawson McGhee Library, Knoxville, Tenn.; *Marjorie Beal, Grace W. Gilman, Gertrude E. Gscheidle, Lowell Martin, Howard M. Rowe, Amy Winslow.*

Sections

Adult Education: Chairman, *Mrs. Grace T. Stevenson,* Public Library, Seattle, Wash.

Armed Forces Librarians: Chairman, *Mildred S. Young,* Office Special Services, Department of Army, Washington, D.C.

Branch Librarians: Chairman, *Frances W.*

Covington, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md.

Business and Technology: Chairman, *Mildred Stewart*, Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio.

Order and Book Selection: Chairman, *John A. Humphry*, City Library Association, Springfield, Mass.

TRUSTEES DIVISION

Organized 1890. Reorganized in 1935 and 1936; new and revised by-laws adopted, December 1940; accepted as a division by the A.L.A. Council, June 24, 1941 (formerly Trustees Section).

The principal objective of the division is to promote and foster the development of libraries and library service and to provide for the exchange of ideas and experience among library board members through conferences and library publications, by the formation of local and state associations of trustees, and by such other means as may from time to time be determined.

Membership: 721 as of Dec. 31, 1949. Any person who is or has been a duly accredited library trustee or member of a governing board of a library or of a state library agency may be a member of this division by becoming a member of the American Library Association and by complying with the other conditions prescribed in its by-laws. Each member shall be entitled to one vote on any question presented to the members.

Dues: The division receives 20 per cent of the dues paid to A.L.A. by each member who specifies this division at the time of paying his dues.

Officers for 1949-50 (terms expire at the close of the annual conference in year indicated): Chairman, *Edward J. A. Fahey*, Free Public Library, Irvington, N.J. (1306 H St., Belmar), 1951; first vice chairman, *Paul R. Benson*, Public Library, New Castle, Ind. (1224½ Broad St.), 1950; second vice chairman, *Thomas H. McKaig*, Erie County Public Library, Buffalo, N.Y. (881 Main St.), 1950; executive secretary, *Mrs. F. A. Cushing Smith*, formerly a trustee of Public Library, Wilmette, Ill. (431 Central Ave.), 1950; treasurer, *Thomas J. Porro*, Public Library, Tacoma, Wash. (718 Medical Arts Building), 1950.

Board of Directors: For terms ending 1951: *Mrs. Julia Brown Asplund*, State Library Commission, Santa Fe, N.M. (217 E. Marcy St.); *Hodding Carter*, William Alexander Percy Memorial Library, Greenville, Miss. (514 Arnold); *Charles J. Mesnier*, St. Louis County Library, Overland, Mo. (8024 Wynwood Drive, Affton); *Mrs. Lawrence K. Miller*, Berkshire Athenaeum, Pittsfield, Mass. (500 William St.).

For terms ending 1950: *Mary J. Creech*, formerly a trustee of Public Library, Oakland, Calif. (Anglo California Bank, 1 Sansome St., San Francisco); *M. M. Harris*, Public Library, San Antonio, Tex. (Box 2171); *Mrs. John J. Hutcheson*, Public Library, Miami Beach, Fla. (1667 Ray Road); *Dr. Frank N. Walker*, Public Libraries, Toronto, Ont., Canada (218 Inglewood Drive).

A.L.A. Council members: *Emma V. Baldwin*, Public Library, Denville, N.J. (P.O. Box 24), 1953; *Mrs. Samuel McKee Mitchell*, formerly a trustee of Public Library, Wheaton, Ill. (1244 N. Stone St., Chicago), 1953; *James J. Weadock, Jr.*, Public Library, Lima, Ohio (605 Cook Tower), 1952.

ROUND TABLES

ACQUISITION DEPARTMENT HEADS OF RESEARCH LIBRARIES

Organized at the 1934 A.L.A. Midwinter Meeting to provide an opportunity for informal discussion of mutual problems relating especially to acquisition departments. Membership was originally limited to heads of acquisitions departments of research libraries, forming the Association of Research Libraries.

Chairman, *Alton H. Keller*, Order Division, Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C.

AMERICAN LIBRARY HISTORY

Organized in the fall of 1946 and held its first meeting at the Midwinter Conference in December. Established by Council at the A.L.A. Conference in San Francisco, 1947.

Purpose: To provide a means of acquiring and publishing material in this field.

Membership: There is no formal membership, but all interested in the backgrounds of American librarianship are invited to participate.

Officers for 1949-50: Chairman, *Wayne Shirley*, Pratt Institute Library, Brooklyn 5, N.Y.; secretary, *Louis S. Shores*, School of Library Training and Service, Florida State University, Tallahassee.

ART REFERENCE

Organized in 1924 as the result of the initiative of its first chairman, Antoinette Douglas.

First meeting at Saratoga Springs Conference, 1924. Constitution and by-laws adopted July 2, 1947.

Purpose: To promote a closer relationship between librarians engaged in art reference work, to bring them together for the purpose of mutual help and discussion, to stimulate publication of library reference tools in the art field and to cooperate with related organizations.

The subject of music is, by agreement with the Music Library Association, excluded from discussion.

Membership: Open to any person actively engaged in reference work in the field of fine arts in a public, museum, university, college, art school, or other library, or who has a serious interest in the stated purpose of the organization.

Annual dues: One dollar payable to the secretary-treasurer.

Officers for 1949-50: Chairman, *Jean McK. Murphy,* Queens Borough Public Library, Jamaica, N.Y.; secretary-treasurer, *Eleanor S. Collins,* Museum of Art, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

JUNIOR MEMBERS

Organized by an informal group meeting at the New Haven Conference, 1931. Constitution and by-laws adopted at the Boston Conference, 1941; amended at Milwaukee, 1942.

Purpose: (a) To help the individual member to orient himself in his profession and in its organizations, national, regional, state, and local; (b) To promote a greater feeling of responsibility among younger members of the profession for the development of library service and librarianship; and (c) To inform young people of the scope and potentialities of the library profession by means of (1) cooperation with recruiting committees already set up by national and state library groups, and (2) cooperation with other agencies sponsoring the organization of recruiting committees in states where none exist.

Membership: Individual membership is open to those members of A.L.A. who have not attained the age of thirty-five (35). Honorary membership is offered to all graduating library school students (who are members of A.L.A.) for one year.

Chapter membership is open to municipal, state, or regional groups.

Officers: Chairman, *Elizabeth Chambers,* University of Louisville Library, Louisville, Ky.; secretary-treasurer, *Erika Schnurmann,* Free Public Library, Paterson, N.J. Executive Board: *Mrs. Marie Cleckner Goodman,* Maps Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.; *Elizabeth Lindsey,* Eastman Branch, Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio; *Edward A. Temkin,* 134 W. Third Ave., Roselle, N.J.; *Dorothy L. Gray,* Public Library, Indianapolis, Ind.

LIBRARY SERVICE ABROAD

The A.L.A. Round Table on Library Service Abroad was established in January 1949, by vote of the A.L.A. Council, following petition from A.L.A. members as required.

The purpose of this round table according to its constitution which was accepted in January 1950 is as follows: "In the belief that participation by librarians in library programs abroad will contribute to an improvement in the library profession and in library services both here and abroad (as well as to international understanding) the A.L.A. Round Table on Library Service Abroad is created to provide a means whereby the general membership of the American Library Association may inform itself regarding the international aspects of library work and may be given opportunities to participate in activities for the improvement of international relations and/or library services throughout the world."

Membership and dues: Any member of A.L.A. interested in library service abroad, whether in or out of the country, is eligible for membership by forwarding annual dues of $1.00 to the secretary.

Meetings: The first formal meeting was held in April 1949. Meetings were held in 1949 at the seven regional conferences, and at the 1950 A.L.A. Midwinter Meeting.

Officers: Chairman, *Marietta Daniels,* Columbus Memorial Library, Pan American Union, Washington, D.C.; vice chairman, *Marion Milczewski,* University of California Library, Berkeley; secretary-treasurer, *Katharine Shorey,* Martin Memorial Library, York, Pa.

Committees: MEMBERSHIP AND RECRUITING: *Anne V. Marinelli,* Hispanic Foundation, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C., chairman; *C. Irene Hayner, Marion Schild, Pauline C. Ramsey, Mrs. Mauda P. Sandvig, Jean P. Black, Katharine Pearce, Phyllis Hansberger, Eleanor Townsend, Elizabeth M. Bond, Sarah Roberts, Dr. George L. Banay.* EDITORIAL: *Marion Eleanor Vosburgh,* Alliance College Library, Cambridge Springs, Pa., chairman; *Miriam D. Tompkins, M. Ruth MacDonald, Edward Heiliger, Mrs. Mildred O. Peterson, Felix E. Hirsch.* EXCHANGE OF PERSONS AND PUBLICATIONS: *Verner W. Clapp,* Library of Congress, Washington, D.C., chairman; *Alice Dulany Ball, Mrs. Helen Wessells, Frederick N. Cromwell, Fina C. Ott, Muriel Naylor, Thomas Simpson.* PUBLICITY: *Dorothea Hyle,* Cass County Library, Harrisonville, Mo., chairman;

Mrs. Clara Fielder Kritini, Margaret Hale Commiskey, Isabella Jinnette, Wyllis E. Wright, Clara N. de Villa, Kurt Schwerin, Marie Gudde, Eleanor Booth. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: *Marietta Daniels, Marion Milczewski, Katharine Shorey, Anne Marinelli, Marion Vosburgh, Verner Clapp, Dorothea Hyle.*

Publications: *Newsletter* (mimeographed).

THE LIBRARY UNIONS

The Library Unions Round Table was formed at the A.L.A. conference in Kansas City in 1938 at a meeting of representatives from unions of library employees.

Purpose: The Library Unions Round Table was organized to pursue the following objectives:

1. To coordinate the work of existing C.I.O. and A.F.L. unions of library workers, to act as a clearing house of information and advice for these unions, and to assist unorganized library employees in forming new library unions.
2. To cooperate fully with the American Library Association in helping to extend and improve library services.
3. To serve as a liaison between the library movement and the organized labor movement and to stimulate fuller cooperation between organized labor and libraries by making known to labor the services of libraries and by keeping libraries informed of the needs of organized labor.
4. To work for the advancement of the professional status of library workers by raising their economic and educational level.
5. To work for modern, democratic library personnel policies.
6. To promote representation of organized labor on library boards.
7. To undertake bibliographical and other projects of benefit to labor and to libraries.

Membership: Open to all bona fide library unions. Associate membership is open to unorganized library employees, and to library employees belonging to teachers' and other unions, who support the objectives of the L.U.R.T.

Dues: The L.U.R.T. is financed through yearly contributions from its member unions, and through membership dues ($1.00 a year) of associate members.

Open and closed meetings are held annually during A.L.A. conferences.

An exhibit of its activities is held annually in a booth during A.L.A. conferences.

Officers for 1949-50: Chairman, *Benedict Z. Hirsch*, Public Library, Chicago, Ill.; first vice chairman, *Adele C. Martin*, Tremont Branch, New York Public Library, New York, N.Y.; second vice chairman, *Abraham Kalish*, U.S. Department of State Library, Washington, D.C.; secretary-treasurer, *Etta Salita*, Lakeview Branch, Public Library, Chicago, Ill. Representatives for associate members: For the U.S., *Henry T. Black*, Jefferson School of Social Science Library, New York City; For Canada, *C. K. Morison*, Public Library Commission, Victoria, B.C.

PRESIDENTS AND EDITORS

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Schools are listed alphabetically by the name in common usage (in *italics*) followed by location, dates of establishment and full accreditation, 1948 classification and administrative officers.[2]

New York State College for Teachers, Department of Librarianship, *Albany*. Est. 1926; acc. 1932. Type III.[3, 4] Robert Stone Burgess, Jr., Head.

Atlanta University, School of Library Service, Atlanta, Ga. Est. 1941; acc. 1943. Type II.[4, 5] Mrs. Virginia Lacy Jones, Director.

University of *California*, School of Librarianship, Berkeley. Est. 1919; acc. 1926. Type I. J. Periam Danton, Dean.

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Texas State College for Women, Department of Library Science, *Denton*. Est. 1929; acc. 1938. Type III.[3, 4] Mary D. Taylor, Director.

University of *Denver*, School of Librarianship, Denver, Colo. Est. 1931; acc. 1934. Type III.[4] Harriet E. Howe, Director; Donald E. Strout, Assistant Director.

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University of *Michigan*, Department of Library Science, Ann Arbor. Est. 1926; acc. 1928. Type I.[4] Rudolph H. Gjelsness, Chairman.

University of *Minnesota*, Division of Library Instruction, Minneapolis. Est. 1928; acc. 1935. Type III.[4] E. W. McDiarmid, Director.

Rutgers University, *New Jersey* College for Women, Library School, New Brunswick. Est. 1927; acc. 1929. Type III. Ethel Marion Fair, Director.

University of *North Carolina*, School of Library Science, Chapel Hill. Est. 1931; acc. 1934. Type II.[4] Susan Grey Akers, Dean.

University of *Oklahoma*, School of Library Science, Norman. Est. 1929; acc. 1932. Type III.[4] Jesse Lee Rader, Director.

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[1] *Proceedings of the Fifty-Fifth Annual Conference*, p. 610-13.

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Our Lady of the Lake College, Department of Library Science, San Antonio, Tex. Est. 1931; acc. 1943. Type II[4, 7] Sister Francis Clare, Director.

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Western Michigan College of Education, Department of Librarianship, Kalamazoo. Est. 1945; acc. 1948. Type III.[4, 7] Alice Louise LeFevre, Director.

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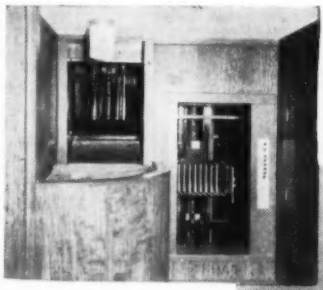

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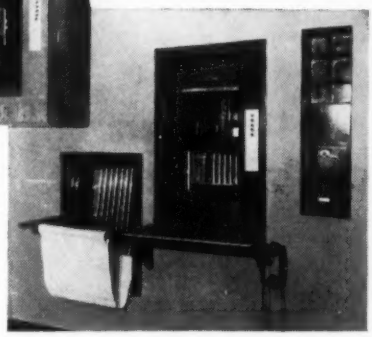

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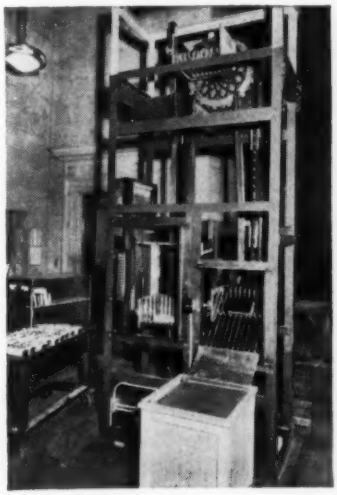

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